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# PREFACE

This book contains more than just solutions to all of the problems in the textbook. Each chapter of this book also contains a series of exercises that will help you review the concepts, skills and reactions presented in the corresponding chapter of the textbook. These exercises are designed to serve as study tools that can help you identify your weak areas. Each chapter of this solutions manual/study guide has the following parts:

- **Review of Concepts.** These exercises are designed to help you identify which concepts are the least familiar to you. Each section contains sentences with missing words (blanks). Your job is to fill in the blanks, demonstrating mastery of the concepts. To verify that your answers are correct, you can open your textbook to the end of the corresponding chapter, where you will find a section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*. In that section, you will find each of the sentences, verbatim.
- **Review of Skills.** These exercises are designed to help you identify which skills are the least familiar to you. Each section contains exercises in which you must demonstrate mastery of the skills developed in the *SkillBuilders* of the corresponding textbook chapter. To verify that your answers are correct, you can open your textbook to the end of the corresponding chapter, where you will find a section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*. In that section, you will find the answers to each of these exercises.
- **Review of Reactions.** These exercises are designed to help you identify which reagents are not at your fingertips. Each section contains exercises in which you must demonstrate familiarity with the reactions covered in the textbook. Your job is to fill in the reagents necessary to achieve each reaction. To verify that your answers are correct, you can open your textbook to the end of the corresponding chapter, where you will find a section entitled *Review of Reactions*. In that section, you will find the answers to each of these exercises.
- **Solutions.** At the end of each chapter, you'll find solutions to all problems in the textbook, including all Skillbuilders, conceptual checkpoints, additional problems, integrated problems, and challenge problems.

The sections described above have been designed to serve as useful tools as you study and learn organic chemistry. Good luck!

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# Chapter 1

## Electrons, Bonds and Molecular Properties

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 1. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- \_\_\_\_\_ **isomers** share the same molecular formula but have different connectivity of atoms and different physical properties.
- Second-row elements generally obey the \_\_\_\_\_ **rule**, bonding to achieve noble gas electron configuration.
- A pair of unshared electrons is called a \_\_\_\_\_.
- A **formal charge** occurs when an atom does not exhibit the appropriate number of \_\_\_\_\_.
- An **atomic orbital** is a region of space associated with \_\_\_\_\_, while a **molecular orbital** is a region of space associated with \_\_\_\_\_.
- Methane's tetrahedral geometry can be explained using four degenerate \_\_\_\_\_-**hybridized orbitals** to achieve its four single bonds.
- Ethylene's planar geometry can be explained using three degenerate \_\_\_\_\_-**hybridized orbitals**.
- Acetylene's linear geometry is achieved via \_\_\_\_\_-**hybridized** carbon atoms.
- The geometry of small compounds can be predicted using valence shell electron pair repulsion (**VSEPR**) theory, which focuses on the number of \_\_\_\_\_ bonds and \_\_\_\_\_ exhibited by each atom.
- The physical properties of compounds are determined by \_\_\_\_\_ forces, the attractive forces between molecules.
- **London dispersion forces** result from the interaction between transient \_\_\_\_\_ and are stronger for larger alkanes due to their larger surface area and ability to accommodate more interactions.

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 1. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

#### SkillBuilder 1.1 Determining the Constitution of Small Molecules

**STEP 1 - DETERMINE THE VALENCY (NUMBER OF EXPECTED BONDS) FOR EACH ATOM IN  $C_2H_5Cl$**

Each carbon atom is expected to form \_\_\_\_\_ bonds.



Each hydrogen atom is expected to form \_\_\_\_\_ bonds.

The chlorine atom is expected to form \_\_\_\_\_ bonds.



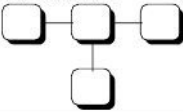

**STEP 2 - DRAW THE STRUCTURE OF  $C_2H_5Cl$  BY PLACING ATOMS WITH THE HIGHEST VALENCY AT THE CENTER, AND PLACING MONOVALENT ATOMS AT THE PERIPHERY**






## SkillBuilder 1.2 Drawing the Lewis Dot Structure of an Atom

<b>STEP 1 - DETERMINE THE NUMBER OF VALENCE ELECTRONS</b>  Nitrogen is in Group ____ of the periodic table, and is expected to have ____ valence electrons.	<b>STEP 2 - PLACE ONE ELECTRON BY ITSELF ON EACH SIDE OF THE ATOM</b>  	<b>STEP 3 - IF THE ATOM HAS MORE THAN FOUR VALENCE ELECTRONS, PAIR THE REMAINING ELECTRONS WITH THE ELECTRONS ALREADY DRAWN</b>  
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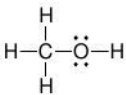
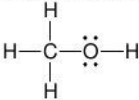
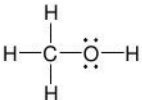
## SkillBuilder 1.3 Drawing the Lewis Structure of a Small Molecule

<b>STEP 1 - DRAW THE LEWIS DOT STRUCTURE OF EACH ATOM IN CH<sub>2</sub>O</b>  	<b>STEP 2 - FIRST CONNECT ATOMS THAT FORM MORE THAN ONE BOND</b>  	<b>STEP 3 - CONNECT THE HYDROGEN ATOMS</b>  	<b>STEP 4 - PAIR ANY UNPAIRED ELECTRONS, SO THAT EACH ATOM ACHIEVES AN OCTET</b>  
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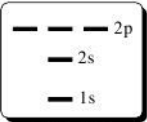

## SkillBuilder 1.4 Calculating Formal Charge

<b>STEP 1 - DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE NUMBER OF VALENCE ELECTRONS</b>   Nitrogen is in Group ____ of the periodic table, and is expected to have ____ valence electrons.	<b>STEP 2 - DETERMINE THE NUMBER OF VALENCE ELECTRONS IN THIS CASE</b>   In this case, the nitrogen atom is using only ____ valence electrons.	<b>STEP 3 - ASSIGN A FORMAL CHARGE TO THE NITROGEN ATOM IN THIS CASE</b>  
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


## SkillBuilder 1.5 Locating Partial Charges

<b>STEP 1 - CIRCLE THE BONDS BELOW THAT ARE POLAR COVALENT</b>  	<b>STEP 2 - FOR EACH POLAR COVALENT BOND, DRAW AN ARROW THAT SHOWS THE DIRECTION OF THE DIPOLE MOMENT</b>  	<b>STEP 3 - INDICATE THE LOCATION OF ALL PARTIAL CHARGES (δ+ and δ-)</b>  
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## SkillBuilder 1.6 Identifying Electron Configurations

<b>STEP 1 - IN THE ENERGY DIAGRAM SHOWN HERE, DRAW THE ELECTRON CONFIGURATION OF NITROGEN (USING ARROWS TO REPRESENT ELECTRONS).</b>   Nitrogen	<b>STEP 2 - FILL IN THE BOXES BELOW WITH THE NUMBERS THAT CORRECTLY DESCRIBE THE ELECTRON CONFIGURATION OF NITROGEN</b>  
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## SkillBuilder 1.7 Identifying Hybridization States

A CARBON ATOM WITH FOUR SINGLE BONDS WILL BE ____ HYBRIDIZED  	A CARBON ATOM WITH ONE DOUBLE BOND WILL BE ____ HYBRIDIZED  	A CARBON ATOM WITH A TRIPLE BOND WILL BE ____ HYBRIDIZED  
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## SkillBuilder 1.8 Predicting Geometry

**STEP 1 - DETERMINE THE STERIC NUMBER OF THE NITROGEN ATOM BELOW BY ADDING THE NUMBER OF SINGLE BONDS AND LONE PAIRS**

$\text{H}-\ddot{\text{N}}-\text{H}$   
 $|$   
 $\text{H}$

# of single bonds =

# of lone pairs =

**Steric Number** =

**STEP 2 - THE STERIC NUMBER DETERMINES THE HYBRIDIZATION STATE AND ELECTRONIC GEOMETRY. FILL IN THE CHART BELOW:**

Steric #	Hybridization State	Electronic Geometry
4		
3		
2		

**STEP 3 - IGNORING LONE PAIRS, IDENTIFY THE GEOMETRY IN EACH CASE BELOW**

**tetrahedral**  
 arrangement of  
 electron pairs

NO  
LONE PAIRS

ONE  
LONE PAIR

TWO  
LONE PAIRS

## SkillBuilder 1.9 Identifying Molecular Dipole Moments

**STEP 1 - IDENTIFY THE GEOMETRY OF THE OXYGEN ATOM BELOW**

$\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C}(\text{H})-\ddot{\text{O}}-\text{C}(\text{H})-\text{CH}_3$

Geometry =

**STEP 2 - REDRAW THE COMPOUND. FOR EACH POLAR COVALENT BOND, DRAW AN ARROW THAT SHOWS THE DIRECTION OF THE DIPOLE MOMENT**

**STEP 3 - REDRAW THE COMPOUND, AND DRAW THE NET DIPOLE MOMENT**

## SkillBuilder 1.10 Predicting Physical Properties

**Dipole-Dipole Interactions**

CIRCLE THE COMPOUND BELOW THAT IS EXPECTED TO HAVE THE HIGHER BOILING POINT

$\text{CH}_2$   
 $\parallel$   
 $\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{CH}_3$

$\ddot{\text{O}}:$   
 $\parallel$   
 $\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{CH}_3$

**H-Bonding Interactions**

CIRCLE THE COMPOUND BELOW THAT IS EXPECTED TO HAVE THE HIGHER BOILING POINT

$\text{H} \quad \text{H}$   
 $\text{H}-\ddot{\text{O}}-\ddot{\text{O}}-\text{H}$   
 $\text{H} \quad \text{H}$

$\text{H} \quad \text{H}$   
 $\text{H}-\ddot{\text{C}}-\ddot{\text{C}}-\text{H}$   
 $\text{H} \quad \text{H}$

**Carbon Skeleton**

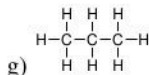
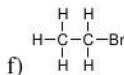
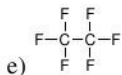
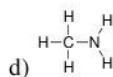
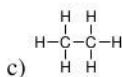
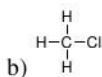
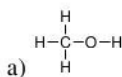
CIRCLE THE COMPOUND BELOW THAT IS EXPECTED TO HAVE THE HIGHER BOILING POINT

$\text{H} \quad \text{H} \quad \text{H}$   
 $\text{H}-\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{C}-\text{H}$   
 $\text{H} \quad \text{H} \quad \text{H}$

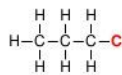
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## Solutions

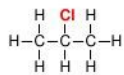
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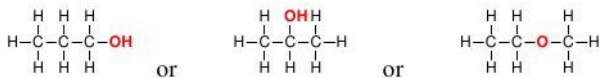
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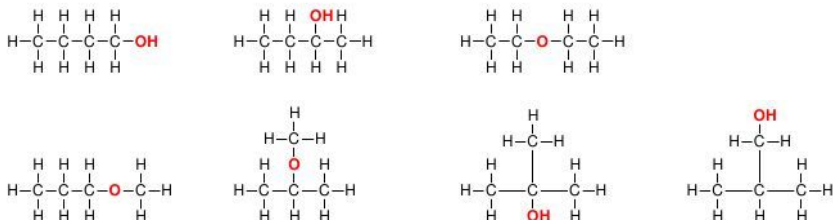
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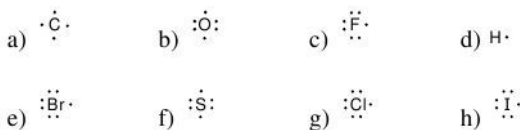
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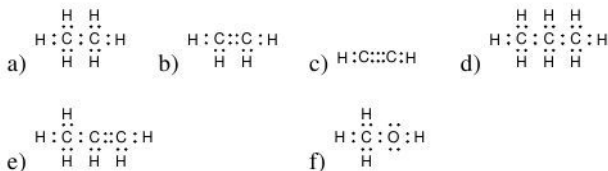
1.6. Both nitrogen and phosphorous belong to column 5A of the periodic table, and therefore, each of these atoms has five valence electrons. In order to achieve an octet, we expect each of these elements to form three bonds.

1.7. Aluminum is directly beneath boron on the periodic table (Column 3A), and therefore both elements exhibit three valence electrons.

1.8.  $\cdot\ddot{\text{C}}^{\oplus}$  resembles boron because it exhibits three valence electrons.

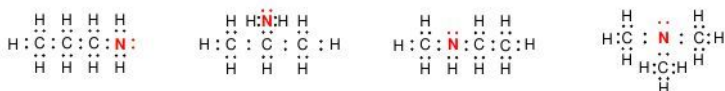
1.9.  $\cdot\ddot{\text{C}}^{\ominus}$  resembles nitrogen because it exhibits five valence electrons.

1.10.



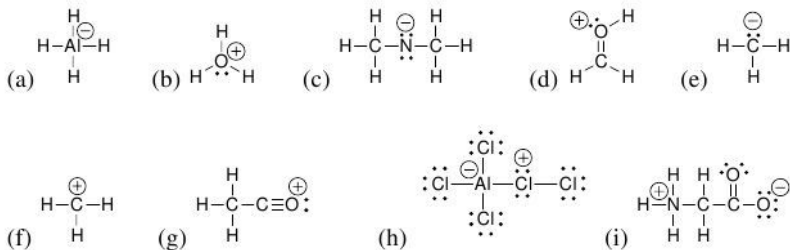
1.11.  $\begin{array}{c} \text{H} \\ | \\ \text{H}:\text{B} \\ | \\ \text{H} \end{array}$  The central boron atom lacks an octet of electrons.

1.12.



In all of the constitutional isomers above, the nitrogen atom has one lone pair.

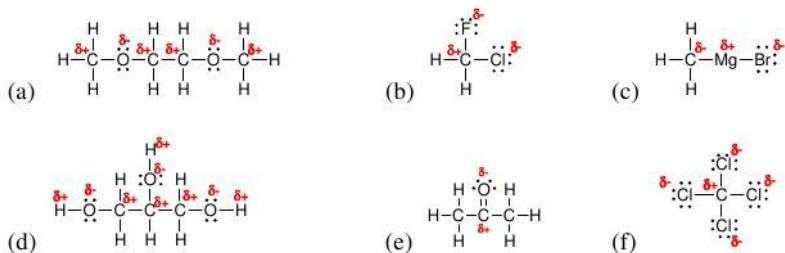
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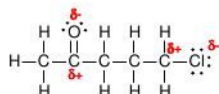
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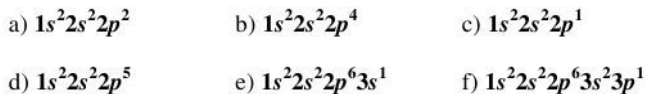
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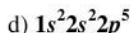
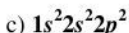
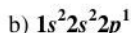
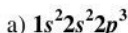


1.17.





1.18.



1.19. The bond angles of an equilateral triangle are  $60^\circ$ , but each bond angle of cyclopropane is supposed to be  $109.5^\circ$ . Therefore, each bond angle is severely strained, causing an increase in energy. This form of strain, called ring strain, will be discussed in Chapter 4. The ring strain associated with a three-membered ring is greater than the ring strain of larger rings, because larger rings do not require bond angles of  $60^\circ$ .

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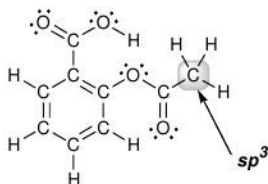
a) The C=O bond of formaldehyde is comprised of one sigma bond and one pi bond.

b) Each C-H bond is formed from the interaction between an  $sp^2$  hybridized orbital from carbon and an  $s$  orbital from hydrogen.

c) The oxygen atom is  $sp^2$  hybridized, so the lone pairs occupy  $sp^2$  hybridized orbitals.

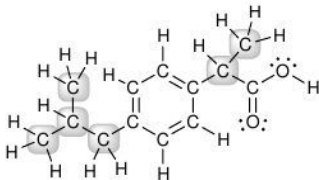
1.21. Rotation of a single bond does not cause a reduction in the extent of orbital overlap, because the orbital overlap occurs on the bond axis. In contrast, rotation of a pi bond results in a reduction in the extent of orbital overlap, because the orbital overlap is NOT on the bond axis.

1.22.



All carbon atoms in this molecule are  $sp^2$  hybridized, except for the carbon atom highlighted above,

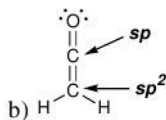
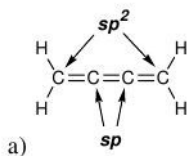
a) which is  $sp^3$  hybridized



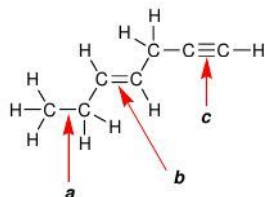
The carbon atoms highlighted above are  $sp^3$  hybridized.

b) All other carbon atoms in this compound are  $sp^2$  hybridized

1.23.



1.24.



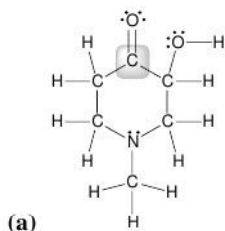
$$c < b < a$$

*a is the longest bond  
and c is the shortest bond*

1.25.

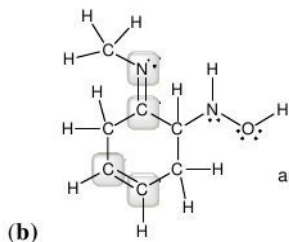
- The nitrogen atom has three bonds and one lone pair, and is therefore trigonal pyramidal.
- The oxygen atom has three bonds and one lone pair, and is therefore trigonal pyramidal.
- The boron atom has four bonds and no lone pairs, and is therefore tetrahedral.
- The boron atom has three bonds and no lone pairs, and is therefore trigonal planar.
- The boron atom has four bonds and no lone pairs, and is therefore tetrahedral.
- The carbon atom has four bonds and no lone pairs, and is therefore tetrahedral.
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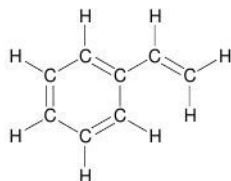
All carbon atoms in this molecule are tetrahedral except for the highlighted carbon atom, which is trigonal planar.

The oxygen atom (of the OH group) has bent geometry, and the nitrogen atom is trigonal pyramidal.



All carbon atoms are tetrahedral except for the carbon atoms highlighted, which are trigonal planar.

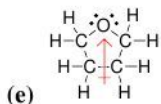
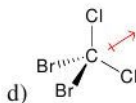
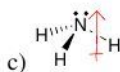
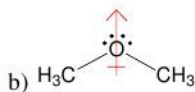
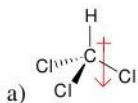
The oxygen atom and the highlighted nitrogen atom have bent geometry, and the other nitrogen atom is trigonal pyramidal.



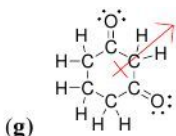
All carbon atoms are trigonal planar.

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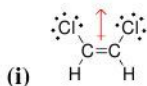
- 1.27. The carbon atom of the carbocation has three bonds and no lone pairs, and is therefore trigonal planar. The carbon atom of the carbanion has three bonds and one lone pair, and is therefore trigonal pyramidal.
- 1.28. Every carbon atom in benzene is  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar. Therefore, the entire molecule is planar (all of the atoms in this molecule occupy the same plane).
- 1.29.



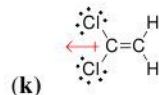
(f) none



(h) none



(j) none



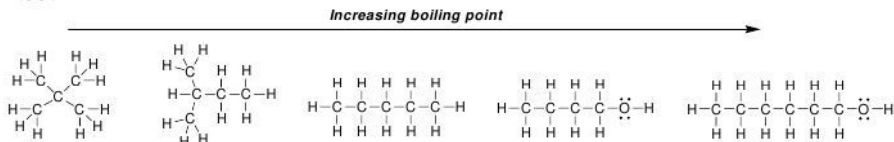
(l) none

- 1.30.  $\text{CHCl}_3$  is expected to have a larger dipole moment than  $\text{CBrCl}_3$ , because the bromine atom in the latter compound serves to nearly cancel out the effects of the other three chlorine atoms (as is the case in  $\text{CCl}_4$ ).
- 1.31. The carbon atom of  $\text{CO}_2$  has a steric number of two, and therefore has linear geometry. As a result, the individual dipole moments of each  $\text{C=O}$  bond cancel each other completely to give no overall molecular dipole moment. In contrast, the sulfur atom in  $\text{SO}_2$  has a steric number of three (because it also has a lone pair, in addition to the two  $\text{S=O}$  bonds), which means that it has bent geometry. As a result, the individual dipole moments of each  $\text{S=O}$  bond do NOT cancel each other completely, and the molecule does have a molecular dipole moment.

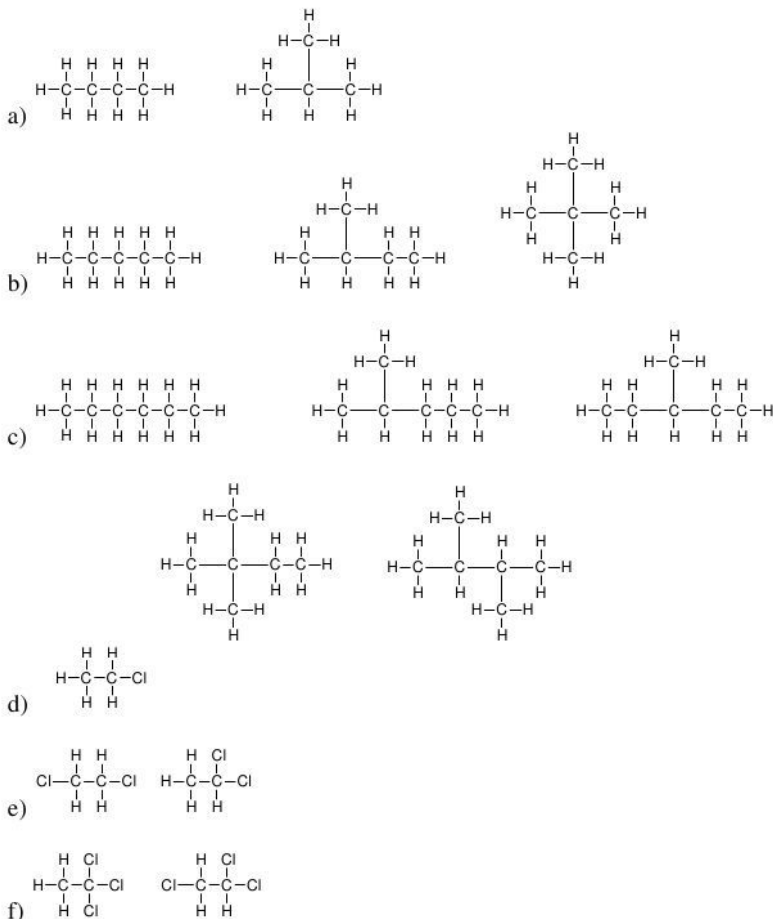
1.32.

- The latter, because it is less branched.
- The latter, because it has more carbon atoms.
- The latter, because it has an OH bond.
- The former, because it is less branched.

1.33.

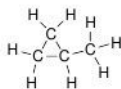


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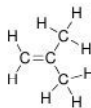
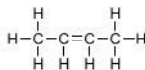
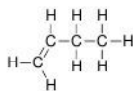


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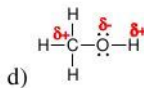
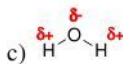
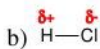
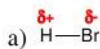
a)



b)



1.36.

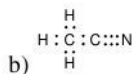
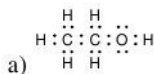


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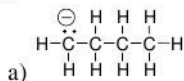
a) NaBr, because the difference in electronegativity between Na and Br is greater than the difference in electronegativity between H and Br.

b) FCl, because the disparity in electronegativity between F and Cl is greater than the disparity in electronegativity Br and Cl.

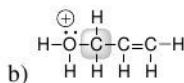
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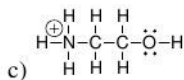


All carbon atoms in this molecule are tetrahedral except for the carbon atom bearing the negative charge, which is trigonal pyramidal.

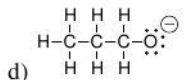


The highlighted carbon atom is tetrahedral, and the other two carbon atoms are trigonal planar.

The oxygen atom is trigonal pyramidal.

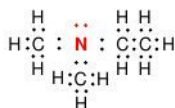


Both carbon atoms and the nitrogen atom are tetrahedral. The oxygen atom is bent.

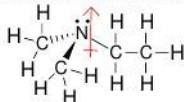


All three carbon atoms in this molecule are tetrahedral. The geometry of the oxygen atom is not relevant because it is only attached to one other group.

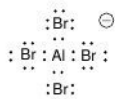
1.40.



The nitrogen atom has trigonal pyramidal geometry. The compound is expected to have the following molecular dipole moment:



1.41.



The central aluminum has tetrahedral geometry.

1.42.



1.43.

- a) No      b) Yes      c) Yes      d) No      5) No      6) Yes

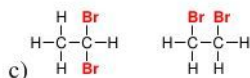
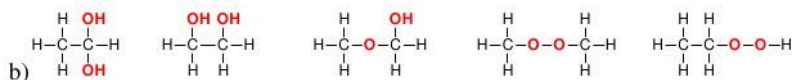
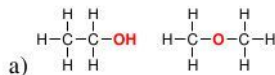
1.44.

- a) Oxygen      b) Fluorine      c) Carbon      d) Nitrogen      e) Chlorine

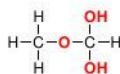
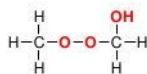
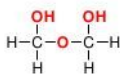
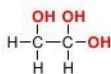
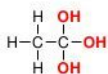
1.45.

- a) ionic  
b) Na-O is ionic, and O-H is polar covalent  
c) Na-O is ionic, O-C is polar covalent, and each C-H bond is covalent  
d) The O-H and C-O bonds are polar covalent, and each C-H bond is covalent  
e) The C=O bond is polar covalent, and each C-H bond is covalent

1.46.



1.47.



1.48.



1.49.

a) All bond angles are approximately  $109.5^\circ$ , except for the C-O-H bond angle which is expected to be less than  $109.5^\circ$  as a result of the repulsion of the lone pairs on the oxygen.

b) All bond angles are approximately  $120^\circ$ .

c) All bond angles are approximately  $120^\circ$ .

d) All bond angles are  $180^\circ$ .

e) All bond angles are approximately  $109.5^\circ$ , except for the C-O-C bond angle which is expected to be less than  $109.5^\circ$  as a result of the repulsion of the lone pairs on the oxygen.

f) All bond angles are approximately  $109.5^\circ$ .

g) All bond angles are approximately  $109.5^\circ$ .

h) All bond angles are approximately  $109.5^\circ$  except for the C-C $\equiv$ N bond angle which is  $180^\circ$ .

1.50.

a)  $sp^3$ , trigonal pyramidal

b)  $sp^2$ , trigonal planar

c)  $sp^2$ , trigonal planar

d)  $sp^3$ , trigonal pyramidal

e)  $sp^3$ , trigonal pyramidal

1.51. Sixteen sigma bonds and three pi bonds.

1.52.

a) the second, because it possesses an O-H bond.

b) the second, because it has more carbon atoms.

c) the first, because it has a polar bond.

1.53.

a) yes

b) no (this compound can serve as a hydrogen bond acceptor, but not a hydrogen bond donor)

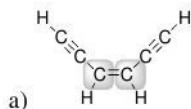
c) no

- d) no  
 e) no (this compound can serve as a hydrogen bond acceptor, but not a hydrogen bond donor)  
 f) yes  
 g) no  
 h) yes

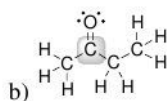
1.54.

- a) 3                      b) 4                      c) 3                      d) 2

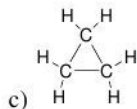
1.55.



The highlighted carbon atoms are  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar. The remaining four carbon atoms are  $sp$  hybridized and linear.

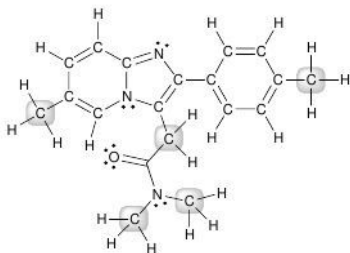


The highlighted carbon atom is  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar. The remaining three carbon atoms are  $sp^3$  hybridized and tetrahedral.



All carbon atoms are  $sp^3$  hybridized and tetrahedral.

1.56.

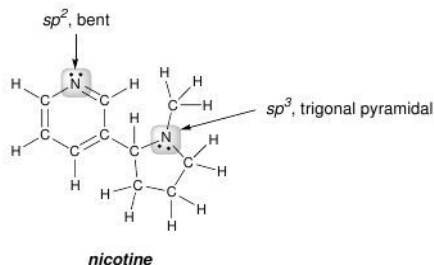


The highlighted carbon atoms are  $sp^3$  hybridized and tetrahedral. The remaining carbon atoms are  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar.

1.57.

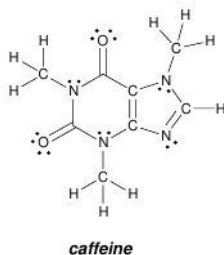
- a) oxygen                      b) fluorine                      c) carbon

1.58.





1.59.

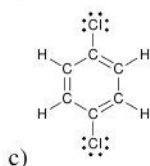
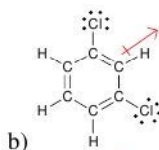
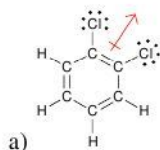


1.60. The two isomers are:

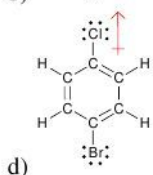


The first will have a higher boiling point because it possesses an OH group which can form hydrogen bonds.

1.61.



there is no  
molecular dipole moment



Cl is more  
electronegative  
than Br

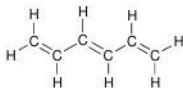
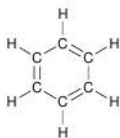
1.62. The third chlorine atom in chloroform partially cancels the effects of the other two chlorine atoms, thereby reducing the molecular dipole moment relative to methylene chloride.

1.63.

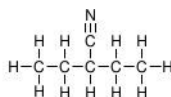
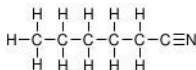
- a) Compound A and Compound B
- b) Compound B
- c) Compound B
- d) Compound C
- e) Compound C
- f) Compound A
- g) Compound B
- h) Compound A is capable of hydrogen bonding

1.64.

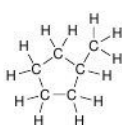
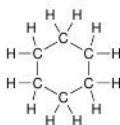
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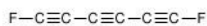
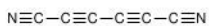
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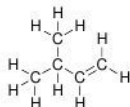
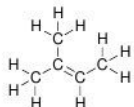
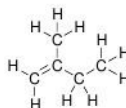
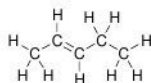
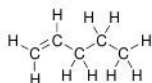
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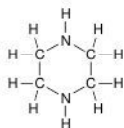
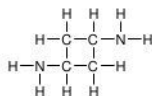
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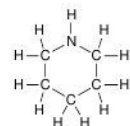
1.65.



1.66.



1.67.



# Chapter 2

## Molecular Representations

### Review of Concepts

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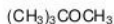
- In **bond-line structures**, \_\_\_\_\_ atoms and most \_\_\_\_\_ atoms are not drawn.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is a characteristic group of atoms/bonds that show a predictable behavior.
- When a carbon atom bears either a positive charge or a negative charge, it will have \_\_\_\_\_, rather than four, bonds.
- In bond-line structures, a **wedge** represents a group coming \_\_\_\_\_ the page, while a **dash** represents a group \_\_\_\_\_ the page.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **arrows** are tools for drawing resonance structures.
- When drawing curved arrows for resonance structures, avoid breaking a \_\_\_\_\_ bond and never exceed \_\_\_\_\_ for second-row elements.
- There are three rules for identifying significant resonance structures:
  1. Minimize \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. Electronegative atoms can bear a positive charge, but only if they possess an \_\_\_\_\_ of electrons.
  3. Avoid drawing a resonance structure in which two carbon atoms bear \_\_\_\_\_ charges.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ lone pair participates in resonance and is said to occupy a \_\_\_\_\_ orbital.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ lone pair does not participate in resonance.

### Review of Skills

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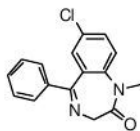
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DRAW THE LEWIS STRUCTURE OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

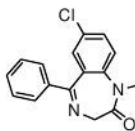


## SkillBuilder 2.2 Reading Bond-Line Structures

CIRCLE ALL CARBON ATOMS IN THE COMPOUND BELOW

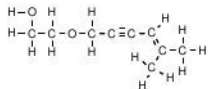


DRAW ALL HYDROGEN ATOMS IN THE COMPOUND BELOW



## SkillBuilder 2.3 Drawing Bond-Line Structures

DRAW A BOND-LINE DRAWING OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND:

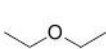


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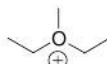
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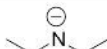


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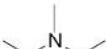


## SkillBuilder 2.5 Identifying Lone Pairs on Nitrogen Atoms

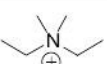
A NITROGEN ATOM  
WITH A NEGATIVE  
CHARGE WILL HAVE  
\_\_\_\_\_ LONE PAIR(S)



A NITROGEN ATOM  
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CHARGE WILL HAVE  
\_\_\_\_\_ LONE PAIR(S)



A NITROGEN ATOM  
WITH A POSITIVE  
CHARGE WILL HAVE  
\_\_\_\_\_ LONE PAIR(S)



## SkillBuilder 2.6 Identifying Valid Resonance Arrows

RULE 1: THE TAIL OF A CURVED ARROW  
CANNOT BE PLACED ON A \_\_\_\_\_

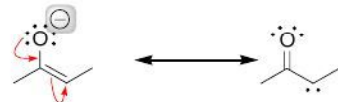


RULE 2: THE HEAD OF A CURVED ARROW  
CANNOT RESULT IN \_\_\_\_\_



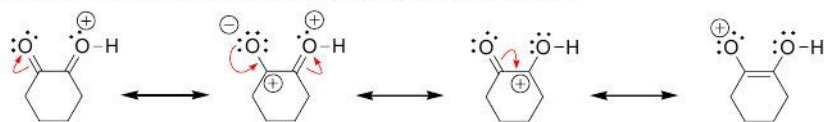
## SkillBuilder 2.7 Assigning Formal Charges in Resonance Structures

INDICATE THE LOCATION OF THE NEGATIVE CHARGE IN THE SECOND RESONANCE STRUCTURE BELOW



## SkillBuilder 2.8 Drawing Significant Resonance Structures

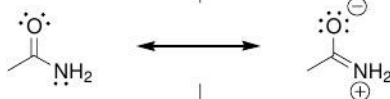
IDENTIFY WHICH RESONANCE STRUCTURES BELOW ARE SIGNIFICANT AND WHICH ARE INSIGNIFICANT



### SkillBuilder 2.9 Identifying Localized and Delocalized Lone Pairs

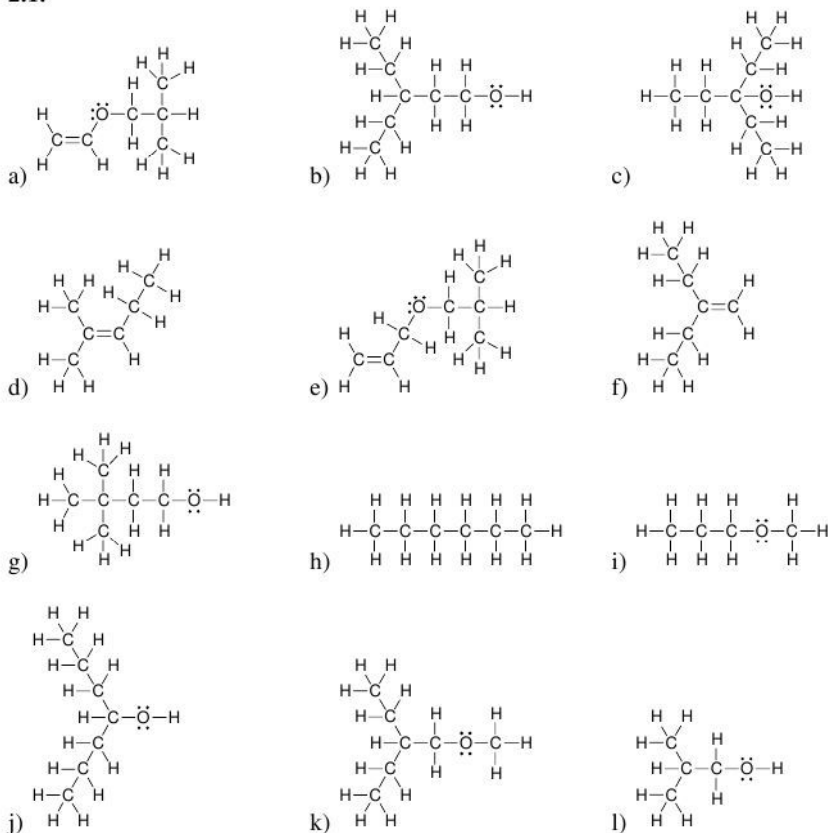
IDENTIFY WHETHER THE LONE PAIR ON THE NITROGEN ATOM BELOW IS DELOCALIZED

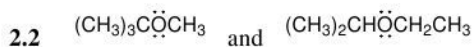
IDENTIFY THE HYBRIDIZATION STATE OF THE NITROGEN ATOM



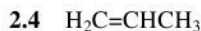
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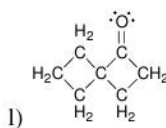
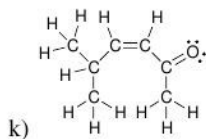
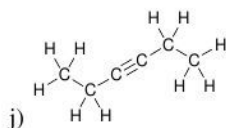
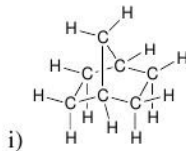
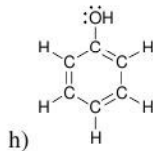
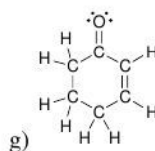
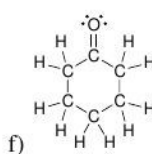
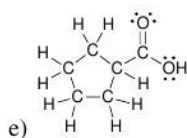
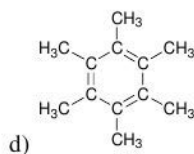
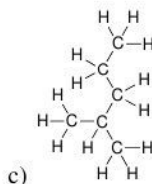
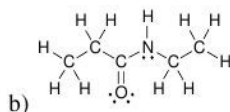
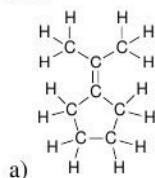




2.3 Six



2.5.



2.6

a) decrease ( $7 \rightarrow 6$ )

b) no change ( $8 \rightarrow 8$ )

c) no change ( $8 \rightarrow 8$ )

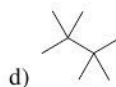
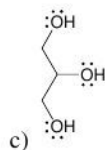
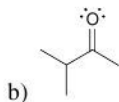
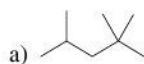
d) increase ( $5 \rightarrow 7$ )

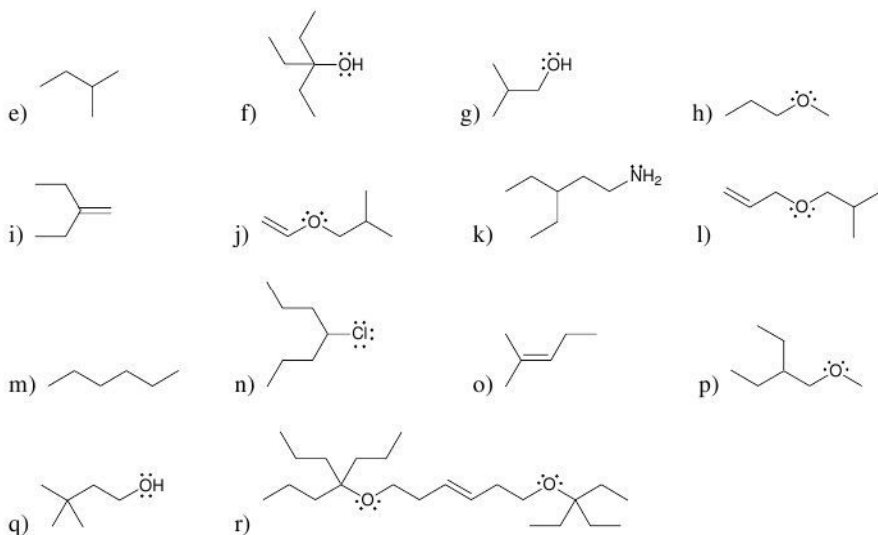
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a) increase ( $12 \rightarrow 14$ )

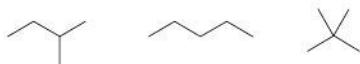
b) decrease ( $8 \rightarrow 6$ )

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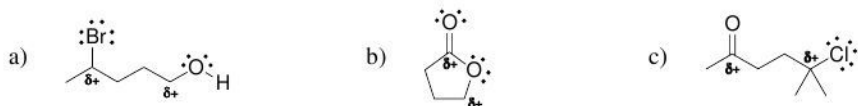




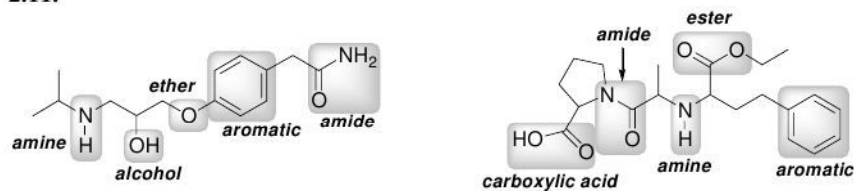
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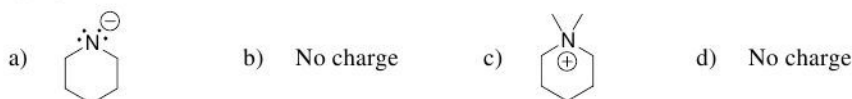
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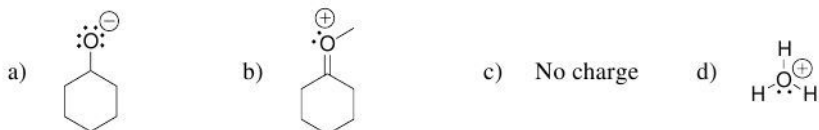
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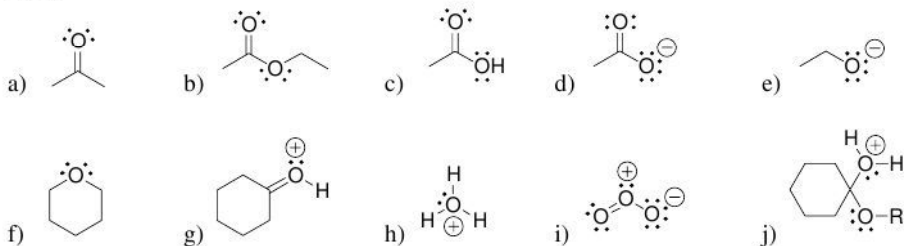
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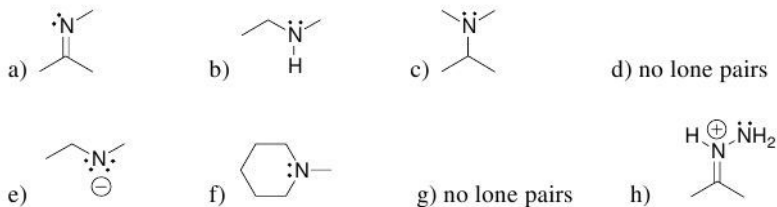


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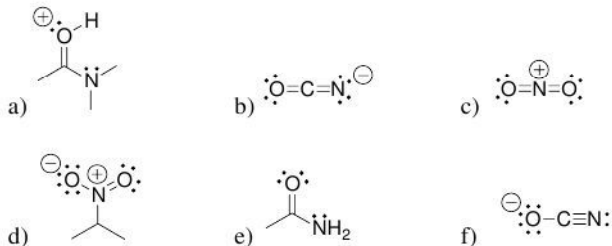


2.15. There are no hydrogen atoms attached to the central carbon atom. The carbon atom has four valence electron. Two valence electrons are being used to form bonds, and the remaining two electrons are a lone pair. This carbon atom is using the appropriate number of valence electrons.

## 2.16.



## 2.17.

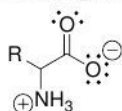


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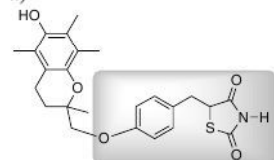
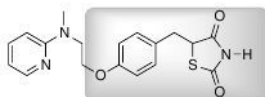
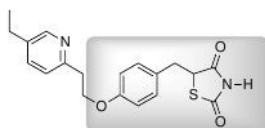


## 2.19 Five lone pairs:



## 2.20

a)

*Troglitazone**Rosiglitazone**Pioglitazone*

b) Yes, it contains the likely pharmacophore highlighted above.

## 2.21

a) Violates second rule by giving a fifth bond to a nitrogen atom.

b) Does not violate either rule.

c) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom.

d) Violates second rule by giving three bonds and two lone pairs to an oxygen atom.

e) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom.

f) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom.

g) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom, and violates second rule by breaking a single bond.

h) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom, and violates second rule by breaking a single bond.

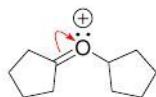
i) Does not violate either rule.

j) Does not violate either rule.

k) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom.

l) Violates second rule by giving five bonds to a carbon atom.

## 2.22.



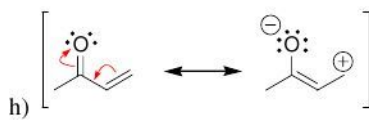
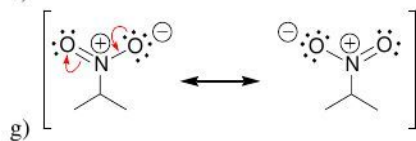
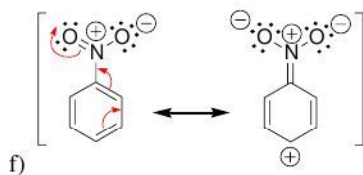
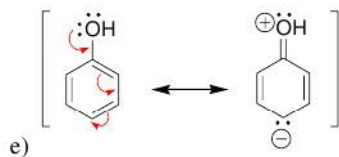
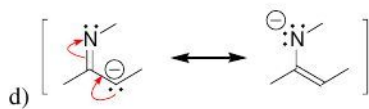
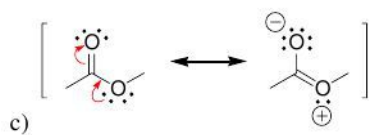
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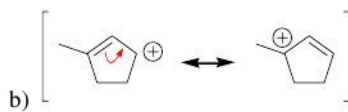
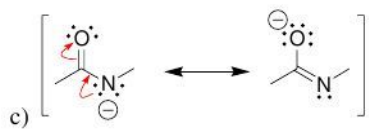
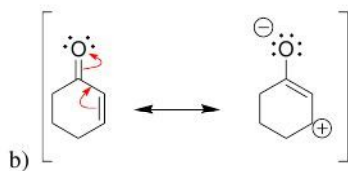
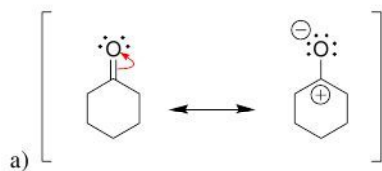
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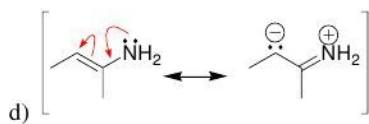
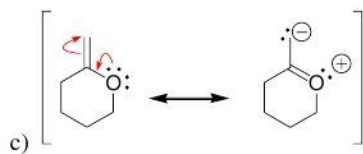
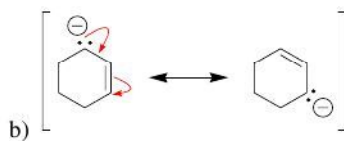
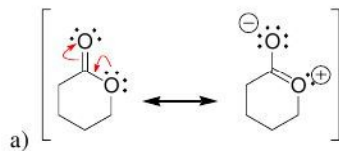
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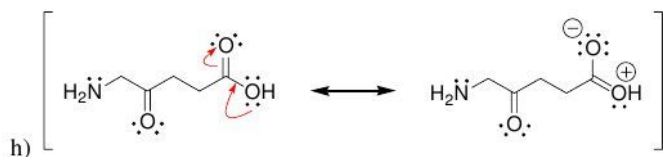
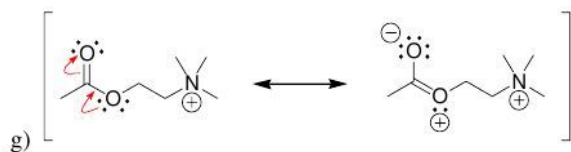
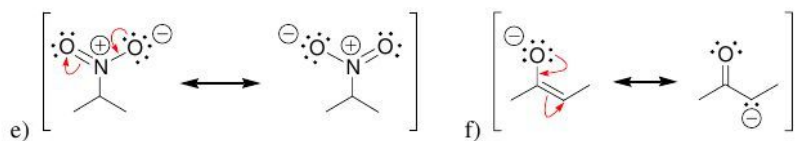


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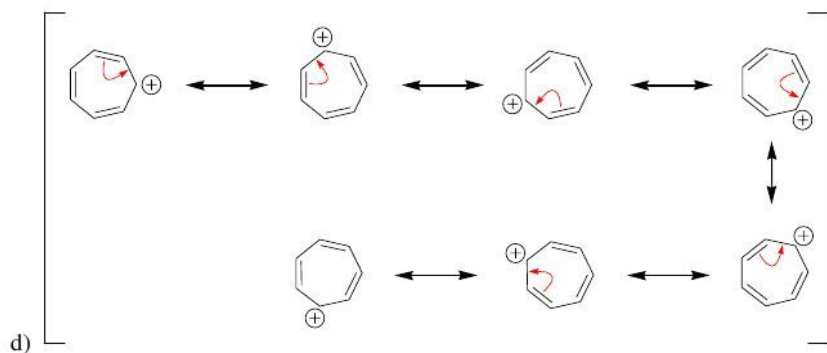
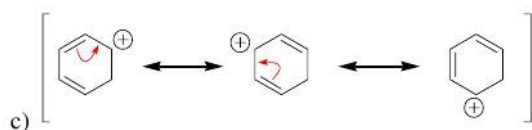
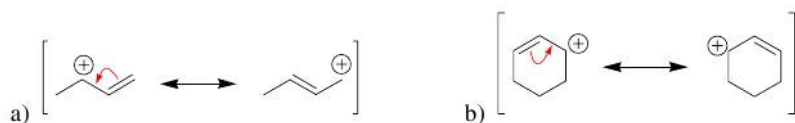


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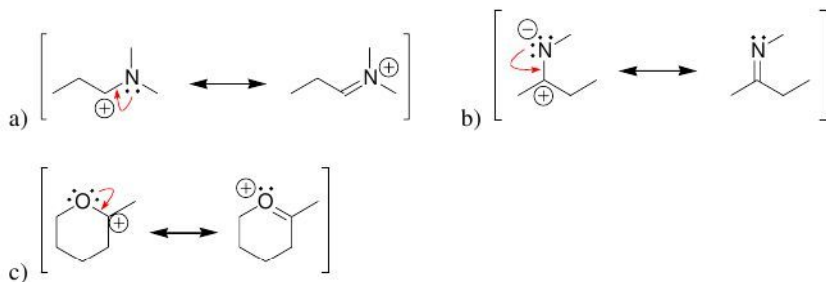




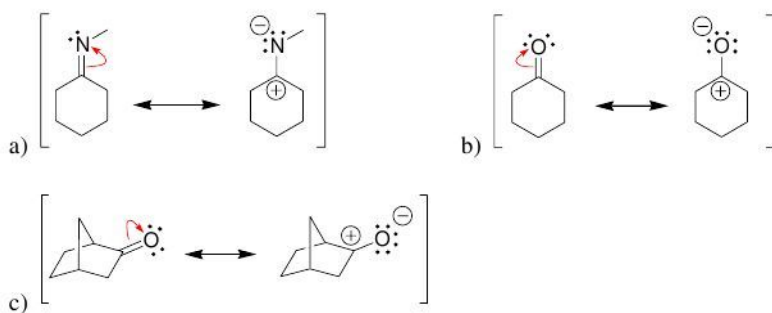
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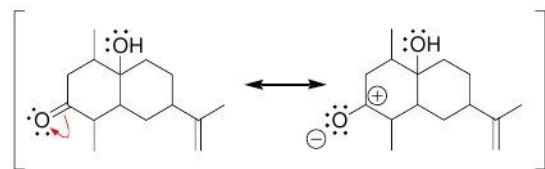
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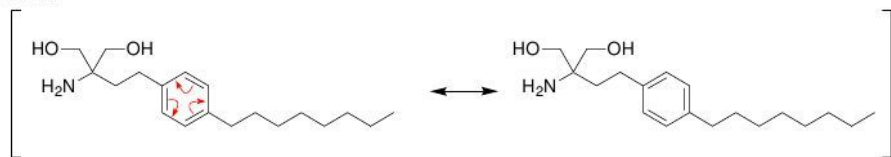
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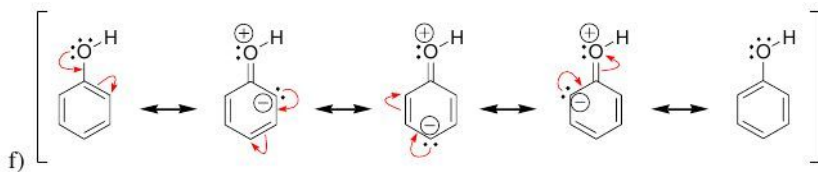
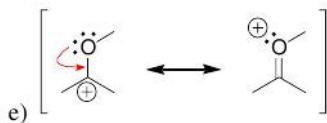
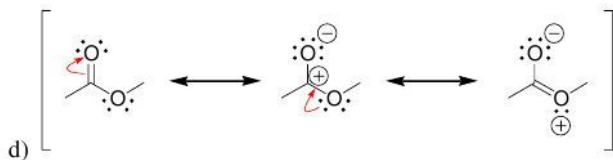
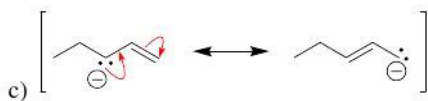
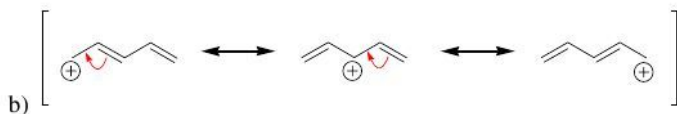
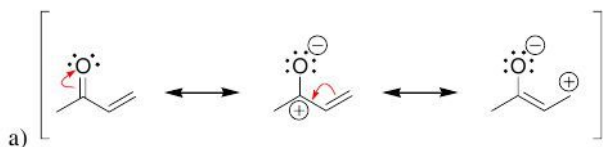
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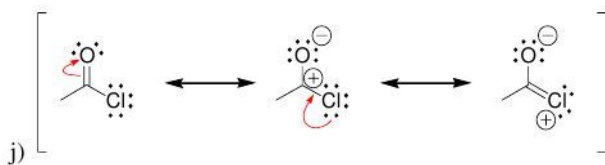
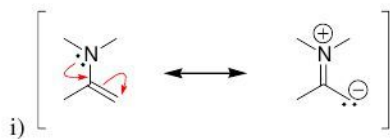
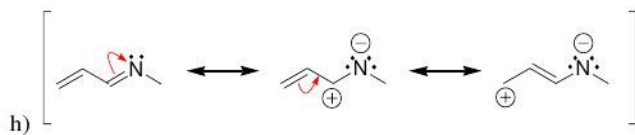
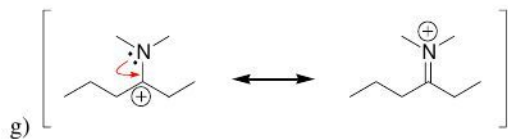


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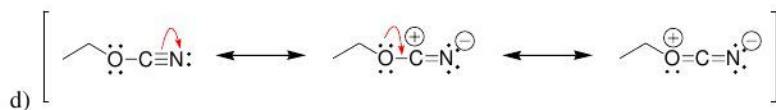
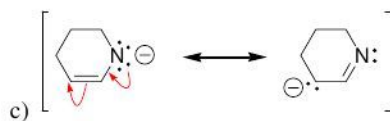
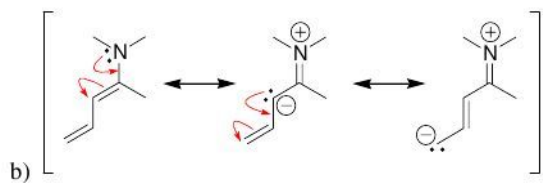
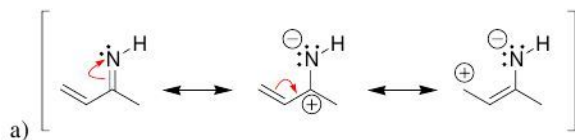


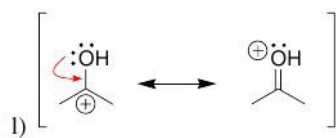
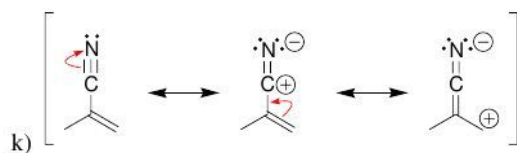
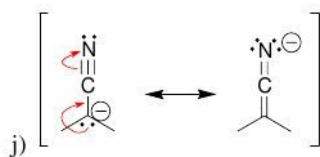
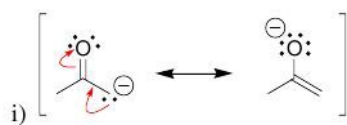
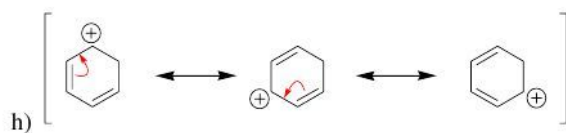
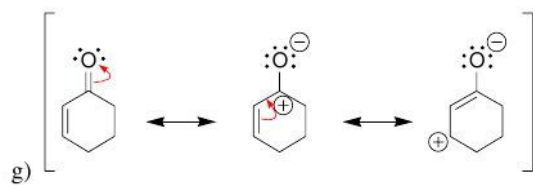
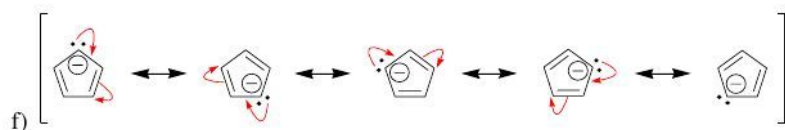
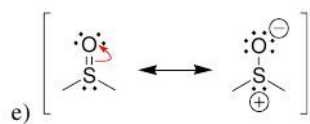
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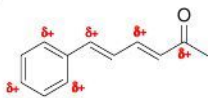


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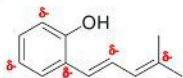




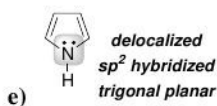
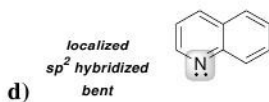
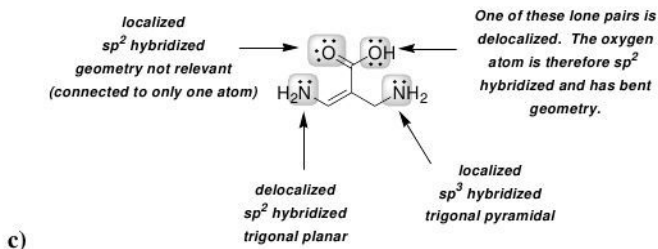
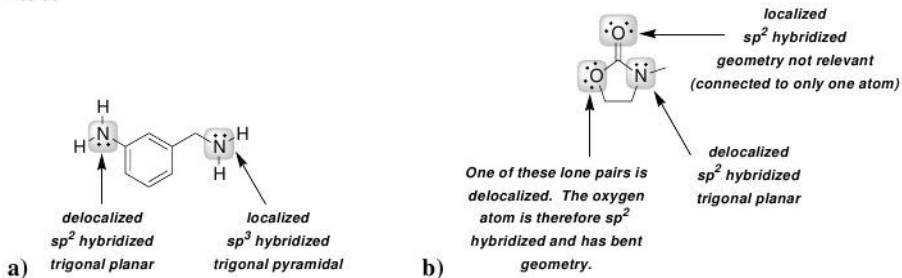
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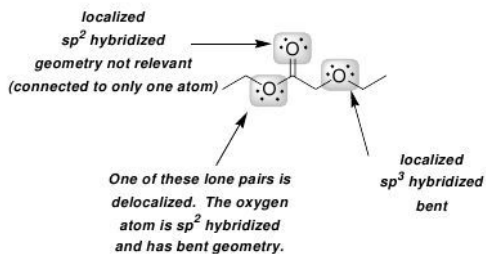


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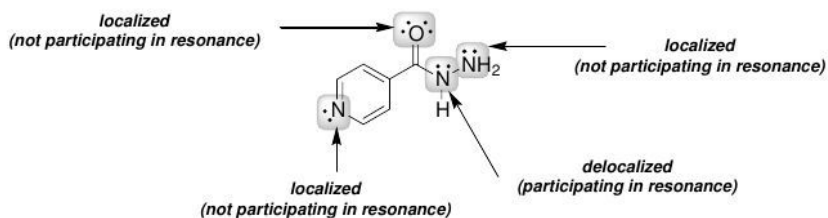


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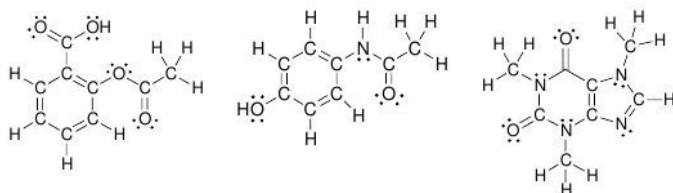


2.37. Both lone pairs are localized and, therefore, both are expected to be reactive.

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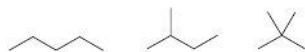
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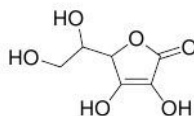
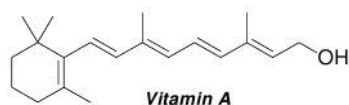
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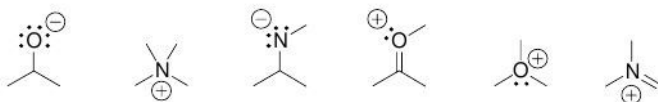
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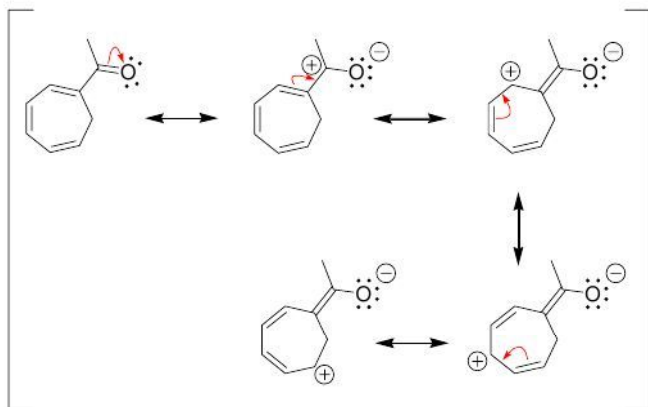
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2.43. Twelve (each oxygen atom has two lone pairs)

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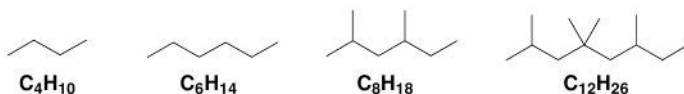


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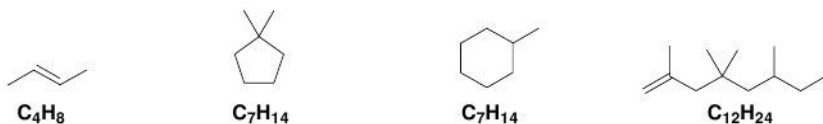
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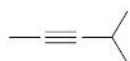
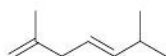
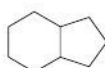
In each of the compounds above, the number of hydrogen atoms is equal to two times the number of carbon atoms, plus two.

b)



In each of the compounds above, the number of hydrogen atoms is two times the number of carbon atoms.

c)

 $C_6H_{10}$  $C_9H_{16}$  $C_{10}H_{16}$  $C_7H_{12}$ 

In each of the compounds above, the number of hydrogen atoms is two times the number carbon atoms, minus two.

d) A compound with molecular formula  $C_{24}H_{48}$  must have either one double bond or one ring. It cannot have a triple bond, but it may have a double bond.

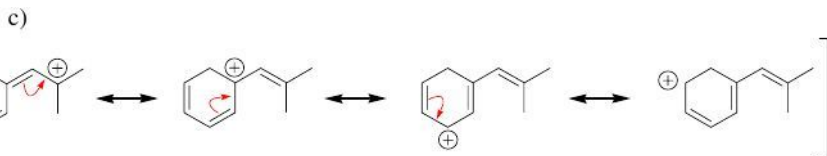
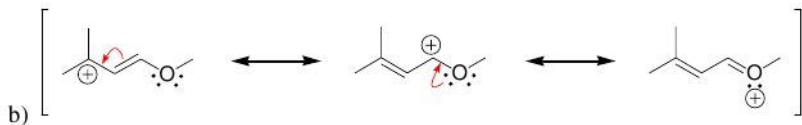
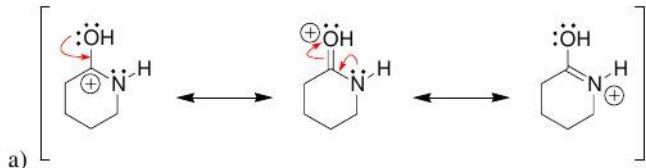
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2.47.

a) an  $sp^2$  hybridized atomic orbitalb) a  $p$  orbitalc) a  $p$  orbital

2.48.



2.49.

a)  $(CH_3)_3CCH_2CH_2CH(CH_3)_2$ b)  $(CH_3)_2CHCH_2CH_2CH_2OH$ c)  $CH_3CH_2CH=C(CH_2CH_3)_2$

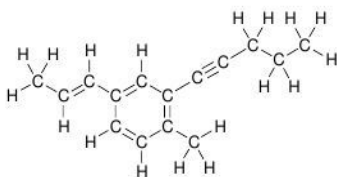
2.50.

- a)  $C_9H_{20}$   
 b)  $C_6H_{14}O$   
 c)  $C_8H_{16}$

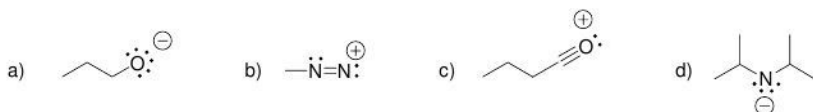
2.51.

(d) is not a valid resonance structure, because it violates the octet rule. The nitrogen atom has five bonds in this drawing, which is not possible, because the nitrogen atom only has four orbitals with which it can form bonds.

2.52. 15 carbon atoms and 18 hydrogen atoms:



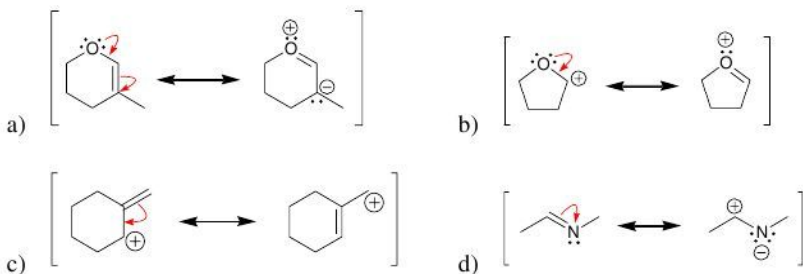
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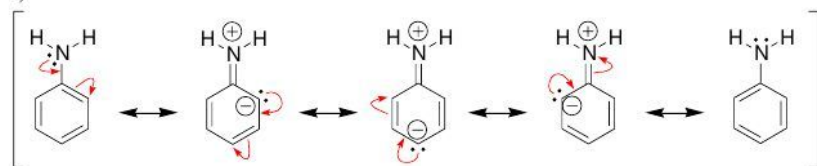
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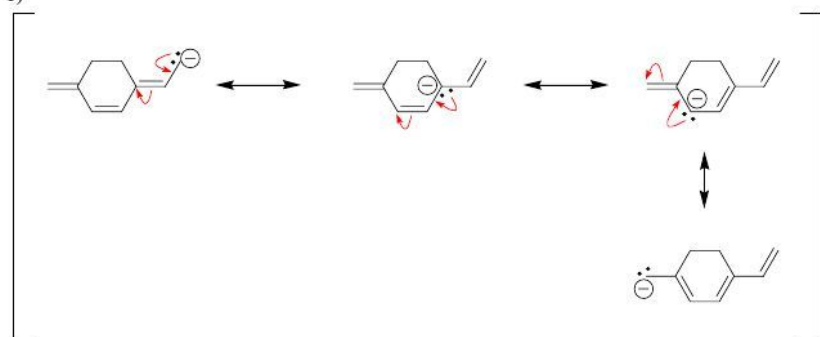
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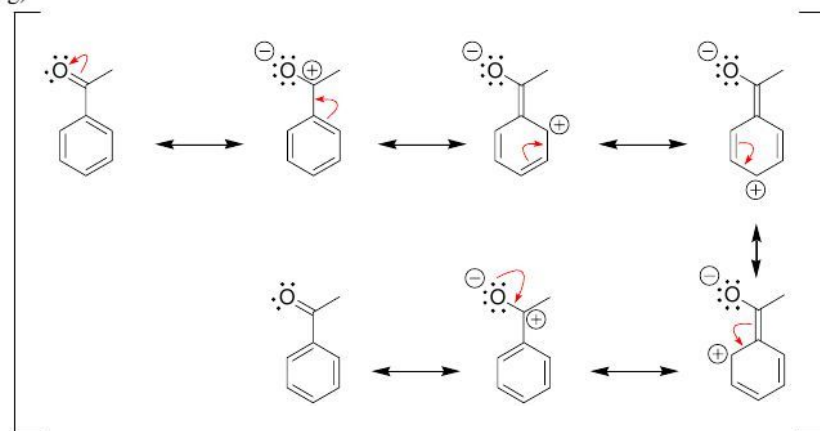
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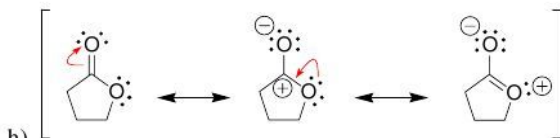
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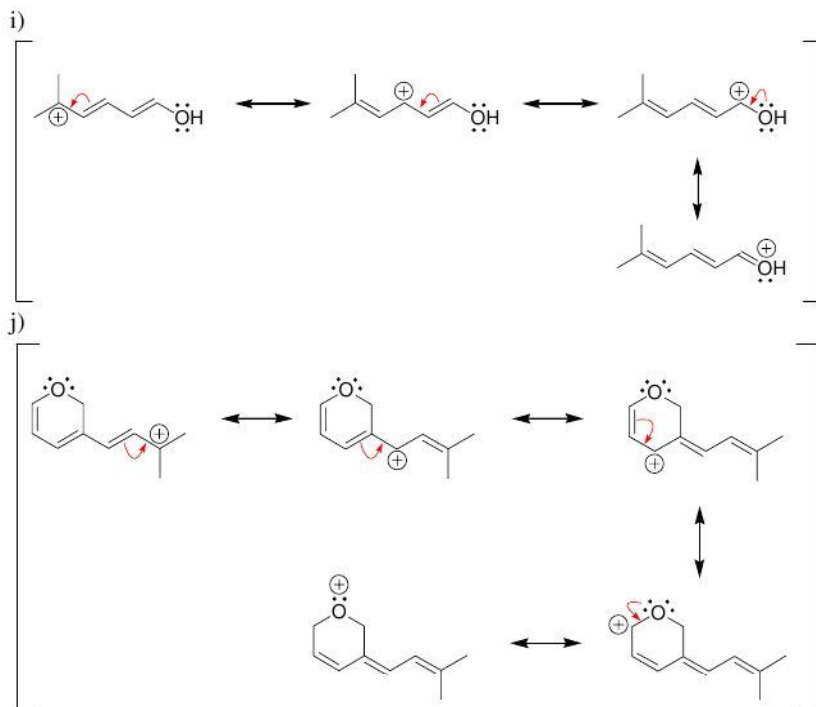


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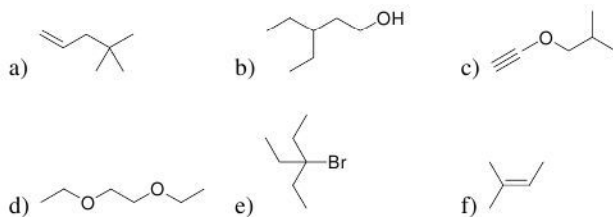


**2.56.** These structures do not differ in their connectivity of atoms. They differ only in the placement of electrons, and are therefore resonance structures.

**2.57.**

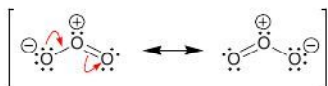
- constitutional isomers
- same compound
- different compounds that are not isomeric
- constitutional isomers

**2.58.**



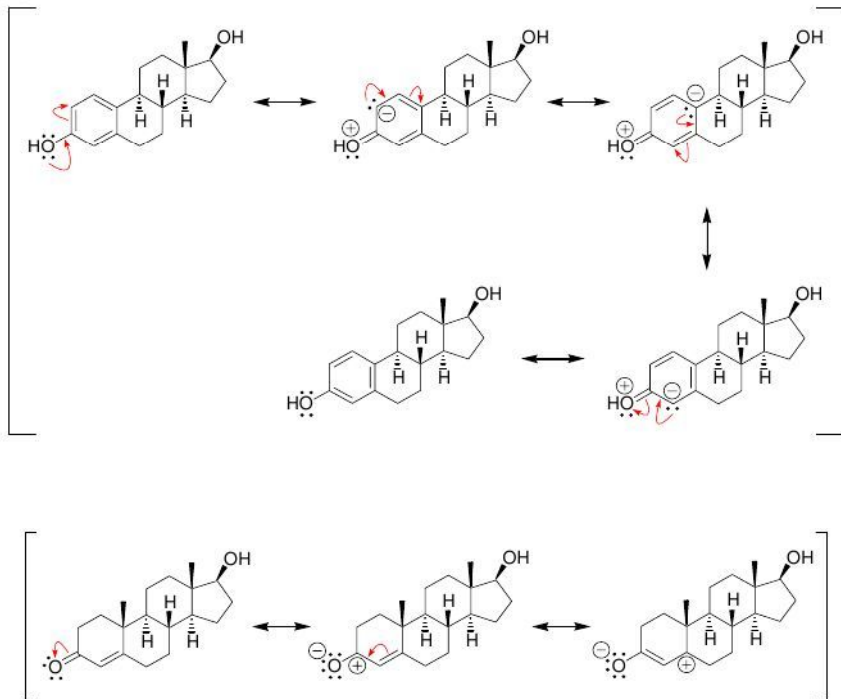
**2.59.** The nitronium ion does *not* have any significant resonance structures because any attempts to draw a resonance structure will either 1) exceed an octet for the nitrogen atom or 2) generate a nitrogen atom with less than an octet of electrons, or 3) generate a structure with three charges. The first of these would not be a valid resonance structure, and the latter two would not give significant resonance structures.

**2.60.**



**2.61.** Both nitrogen atoms are  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar, because in each case, the lone pair participates in resonance.

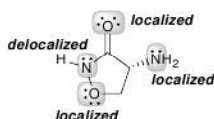
**2.62.**



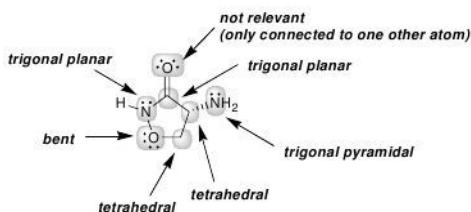
## 2.63.

- a) The molecular formula is  $C_3H_6N_2O_2$   
 b) There are two  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atoms  
 c) There is one  $sp^2$  hybridized carbon atom  
 d) There are no  $sp$  hybridized carbon atoms  
 e) There are six lone pairs (each nitrogen atom has one lone pair and each oxygen atom has two lone pairs)

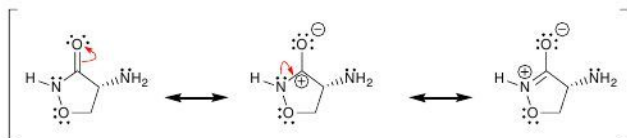
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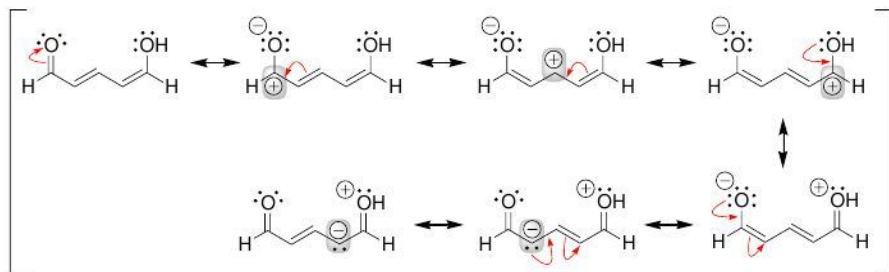
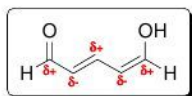


## 2.64.

- a) The molecular formula is  $C_{16}H_{21}NO_2$   
 b) There are nine  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atoms  
 c) There is seven  $sp^2$  hybridized carbon atoms  
 d) There are no  $sp$  hybridized carbon atoms  
 e) There are five lone pairs (the nitrogen atom has one lone pair and each oxygen atom has two lone pairs)  
 f) The lone pairs on the oxygen of the  $C=O$  bond are localized. One of the lone pairs on the other oxygen atom is delocalized. The lone pair on the nitrogen atom is delocalized.  
 g) All  $sp^2$  hybridized carbon atoms are trigonal planar. All  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atoms are tetrahedral. The nitrogen atom is trigonal planar. The oxygen atom of the  $C=O$  bond does not have a geometry because it is connected to only one other atom, and the other oxygen atom has bent geometry.

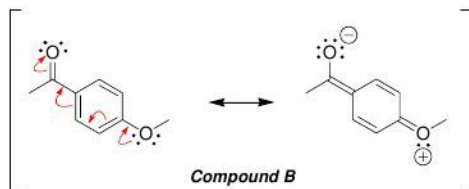


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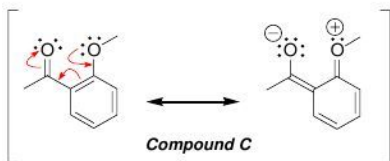
2.66.

a) Compound B has one additional resonance structure that Compound A lacks, because of the relative positions of the two groups on the aromatic ring. Specifically, Compound B has a resonance structure in which one oxygen atom has a negative charge and the other oxygen atom has a positive charge:



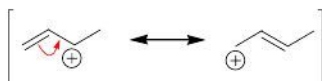
Compound A does *not* have a resonance structure in which one oxygen atom has a negative charge and the other oxygen atom has a positive charge. That is, Compound A has fewer resonance structures than Compound B. Accordingly, Compound B has greater resonance stabilization.

b) Compound C is expected to have resonance stabilization similar to that of Compound B, because Compound C also has a resonance structure in which one oxygen atom has a negative charge and the other oxygen atom has a positive charge:

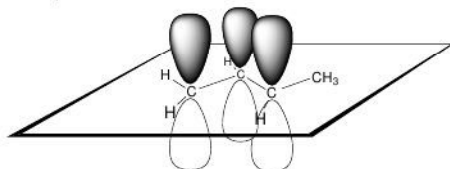


**2.67.**

The single bond mentioned in this problem has some double bond character, as a result of resonance:



Each of the carbon atoms of this single bond uses an atomic p orbital to form a conduit (as described in Section 2.7):



Rotation about this single bond will destroy the overlap of the p orbitals, thereby destroying the resonance stabilization. This single bond therefore exhibits a large barrier to rotation.

# Chapter 3

## Acids and Bases

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 3. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- A **Brønsted-Lowry acid** is a proton \_\_\_\_\_, while a **Brønsted-Lowry base** is a proton \_\_\_\_\_.
- The mechanism of **proton transfer** always involves at least \_\_\_\_\_ curved arrows.
- A strong acid has a \_\_\_\_\_  $pK_a$ , while a weak acid has a \_\_\_\_\_  $pK_a$ .
- There are four factors to consider when comparing the \_\_\_\_\_ of conjugate bases.
- The equilibrium of an acid-base reaction always favors the more \_\_\_\_\_ negative charge.
- A **Lewis acid** is an electron \_\_\_\_\_, while a **Lewis base** is an electron \_\_\_\_\_.

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 3. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

#### SkillBuilder 3.1 Drawing the Mechanism of a Proton Transfer

DRAW THE CURVED ARROWS FOR THE FOLLOWING ACID-BASE REACTION



#### SkillBuilder 3.2 Using $pK_a$ Values to Compare Acids

CIRCLE THE COMPOUND BELOW THAT IS MORE ACIDIC



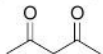
$pK_a = 19.2$



$pK_a = 4.75$

#### SkillBuilder 3.3 Using $pK_a$ Values to Compare Basicity

COMPARE THE FOLLOWING  $pK_a$  VALUES:



$pK_a = 9$



$pK_a = 19$

AND CIRCLE THE STRONGER BASE BELOW



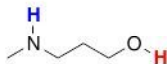
SkillBuilder 3.4 Using  $pK_a$  Values to Predict the Position of Equilibrium

CIRCLE THE SIDE OF THE EQUILIBRIUM THAT IS FAVORED:



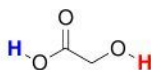
## SkillBuilder 3.5 Assessing Relative Stability. Factor #1: Atom

COMPARE THE TWO PROTONS SHOWN IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND, AND CIRCLE THE ONE THAT IS MORE ACIDIC. USE THE EXTRA SPACE TO DRAW THE TWO POSSIBLE CONJUGATE BASES.



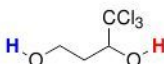
## SkillBuilder 3.6 Assessing Relative Stability. Factor #2: Resonance

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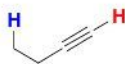
## SkillBuilder 3.7 Assessing Relative Stability. Factor #3: Induction

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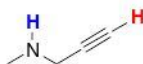
## SkillBuilder 3.8 Assessing Relative Stability. Factor #4: Orbital

COMPARE THE TWO PROTONS SHOWN IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND, AND CIRCLE THE ONE THAT IS MORE ACIDIC. USE THE EXTRA SPACE TO DRAW THE TWO POSSIBLE CONJUGATE BASES.



## SkillBuilder 3.9 Assessing Relative Stability. Using all Four Factors

COMPARE THE TWO PROTONS SHOWN IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND, AND CIRCLE THE ONE THAT IS MORE ACIDIC. USE THE EXTRA SPACE TO DRAW THE TWO POSSIBLE CONJUGATE BASES.

SkillBuilder 3.10 Predicting the Position of Equilibrium Without the Use of  $pK_a$  Values

CIRCLE THE SIDE OF THE EQUILIBRIUM THAT IS FAVORED:



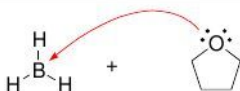
## SkillBuilder 3.11 Choosing the appropriate reagent for a proton transfer reaction

DETERMINE WHETHER WATER IS A SUITABLE PROTON SOURCE TO PROTONATE THE ACETATE ION, AS SHOWN BELOW:

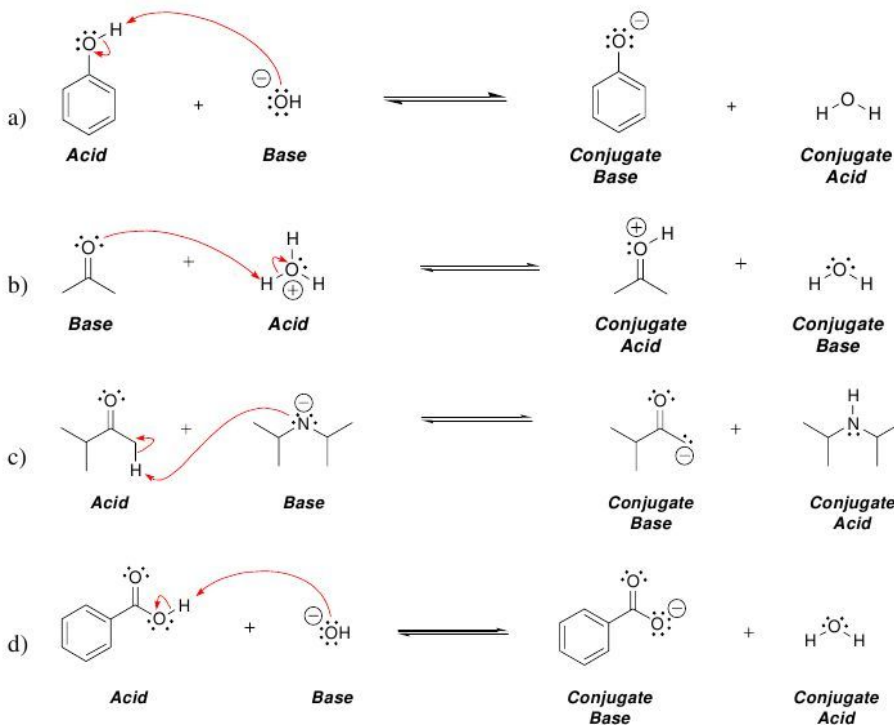


## SkillBuilder 3.12 Identifying Lewis Acids and Lewis Bases

IDENTIFY THE LEWIS ACID  
AND THE LEWIS BASE  
IN THE FOLLOWING REACTION:

Solutions

## 3.1.



## 3.2.

a) There is only one arrow, and it is going in the wrong direction. The tail has been placed on the hydrogen atom, and this is incorrect. Curved arrows do not show the motion of atoms, but the motion of electrons. The tail of this curved arrow should be on the lone pair of the nitrogen atom, and the head of the curved arrow should be on the proton. In addition, a second curved arrow is also required. It should look like this:



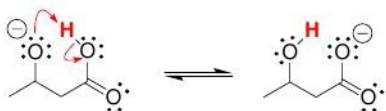
b) The first arrow (from the lone pair of nitrogen to the proton) is correct, but the second curved arrow is not correct. Specifically, the tail is placed on the proton, and instead should be placed on the bond between the proton and the oxygen atom. This bond must be drawn in order to properly place the second curved arrow:



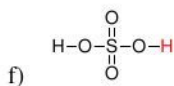
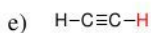
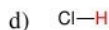
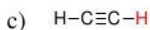
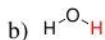
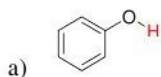
c) The second curved arrow is missing:



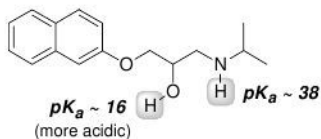
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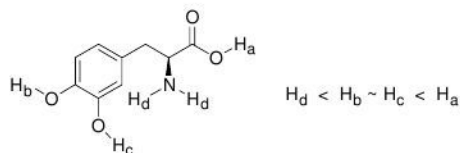
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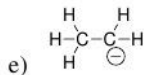
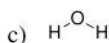
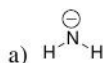
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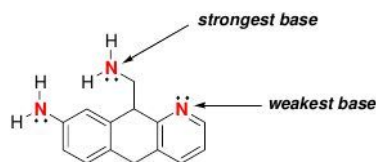
3.6.



## 3.7.



## 3.8.



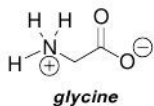
## 3.9.

- a) A lone pair on a nitrogen atom will be more basic than a lone pair on an oxygen atom.  
 b) The lone pair on the nitrogen atom is thirteen orders of magnitude more basic than the lone pair on the oxygen atom.

## 3.10.

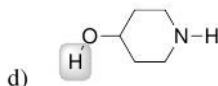
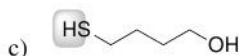
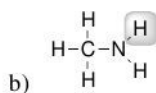
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3.11. The equilibrium does not favor deprotonation of acetylene by hydroxide, because water is more acidic than acetylene. The equilibrium will favor the weaker acid (acetylene). A suitable base would be one whose conjugate acid is less acidic than acetylene. For example,  $\text{H}_2\text{N}^-$  would be a suitable base, because ammonia ( $\text{NH}_3$ ) is less acidic than acetylene.



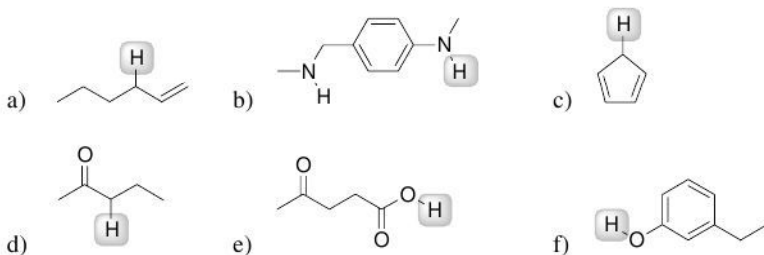
## 3.12.

## 3.13.

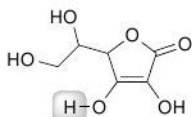


**3.14.** A proton connected to a sulfur atom will be more acidic than a proton connected to an oxygen atom, which will be more acidic than a proton connected to a nitrogen atom. Therefore, the proton on the sulfur atom will definitely be more acidic than the proton on the oxygen atom.

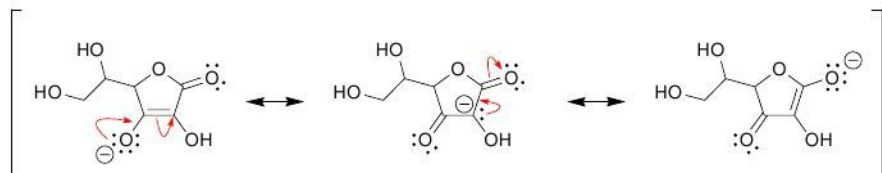
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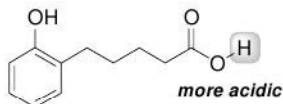
**3.16.**



The proton highlighted above is the most acidic proton in the structure, because deprotonation at that location generates a resonance-stabilized anion, in which the negative charge is spread over two oxygen atoms and one carbon atom:

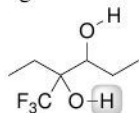


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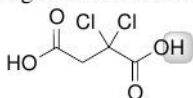
**3.18.**

a) The highlighted proton is more acidic. When this location is deprotonated, the conjugate base that is formed is stabilized by the electron-withdrawing effects of the electronegative fluorine atoms:



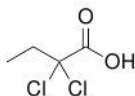


b) The highlighted proton is more acidic. When this location is deprotonated, the conjugate base that is formed is stabilized by the electron-withdrawing effects of the electronegative chlorine atoms, which are closer to this proton than the other proton:

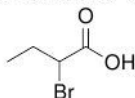


### 3.19.

a) The compound with two chlorine atoms is more acidic, because of the electron-withdrawing effects of the additional chlorine atom, which help stabilize the conjugate base that is formed when the proton is removed:

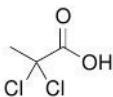


b) The more acidic compound is the one in which the bromine atom is closer to the acidic proton. The electron-withdrawing effects of the bromine atom stabilize the conjugate base that is formed when the proton is removed:

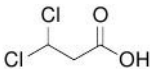


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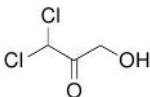
a) In the compound below, one of the chlorine atoms has been moved closer to the acidic proton, which further stabilizes the conjugate base that is formed when the proton is removed:



b) In the compound below, one of the chlorine atoms has been moved farther away from the acidic proton, which destabilizes the conjugate base that is formed when the proton is removed:



c) The compound below is less acidic than the compounds above, because this compound is not a carboxylic acid. That is, the conjugate base of this compound is NOT resonance stabilized:

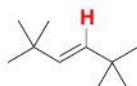
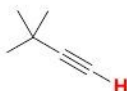
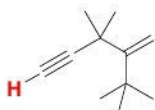


**3.21.** Both protons are the same distance from the fluorine atom, and both protons are the same distance from the chlorine atom. Accordingly, these protons are expected to be of equivalent acidity.

**3.22.** The compound below (acetylene) is more acidic. The conjugate base of this compound has a negative charge associated with a lone pair in an  $sp$  hybridized orbital, which is more stable than a negative charge associated with a lone pair in an  $sp^2$  hybridized orbital.

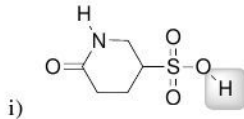
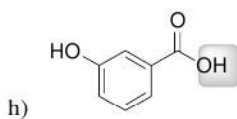
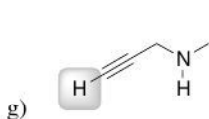
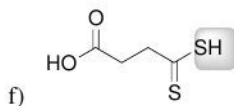
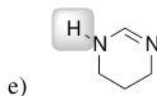
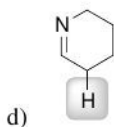
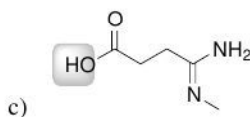
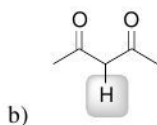
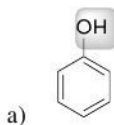


**3.23.**

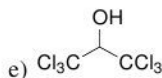


**3.24.** Most imines will have a  $pK_a$  below 35, because imines are expected to be more acidic than amines. This prediction derives from a comparison of the conjugate bases of amines and imines. The former has a negative charge in an  $sp^3$  hybridized orbital, while the latter has a negative charge in an  $sp^2$  hybridized orbital. The latter is expected to be more stable, and therefore, imines are expected to be more acidic.

**3.25.**



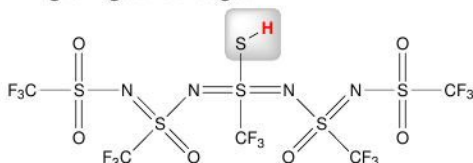
**3.26.**



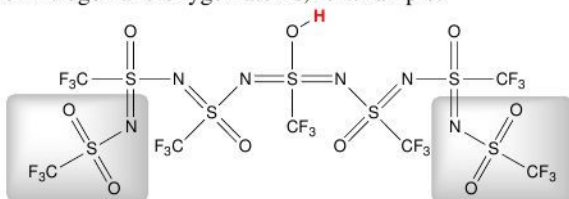
**3.27.**

a) When the proton is removed, the resulting conjugate base is highly resonance stabilized because the negative charge is spread over four nitrogen atoms and seven oxygen atoms. In addition, the inductive effects of the trifluoromethyl groups ( $-\text{CF}_3$ ) further stabilize the negative charge.

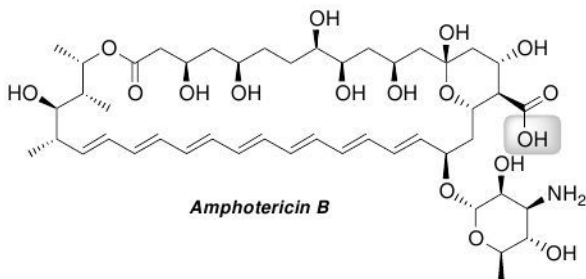
b) The OH group can be replaced with an SH group. Sulfur is larger than oxygen and more capable of stabilizing a negative charge:



Alternatively, the conjugate base could be further stabilized by spreading the charge over a larger number of nitrogen and oxygen atoms, for example:



The additional structural units (highlighted above) would enable the conjugate base to spread its negative charge over six nitrogen atoms and nine oxygen atoms, which should be even more stable than being spread over four nitrogen atoms and seven oxygen atoms.

**3.28.****3.29.**

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- the left side
- the right side

3.30.



The equilibrium favors the right side because the negative charge is resonance stabilized.

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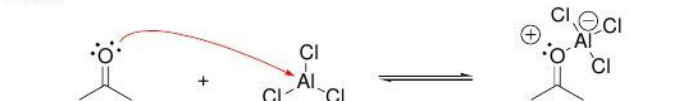
- Yes, because a negative charge on an oxygen atom will be more stable than a negative charge on a nitrogen atom.
- Yes, because a negative charge on a nitrogen atom will be more stable than a negative charge on an  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atom.
- No, because a negative charge on an  $sp^2$  hybridized carbon atom will be less stable than a negative charge on a nitrogen atom.
- No, because this base is resonance-stabilized, with the negative charge spread over two oxygen atoms and one carbon atom. Protonating this base with water would result in the formation of a hydroxide ion, which is less stable because the negative charge is localized on one oxygen atom.
- Yes, because a negative charge on an oxygen atom will be more stable than a negative charge on a carbon atom.
- Yes, because a negative charge on an  $sp$  hybridized carbon atom will be more stable than a negative charge on a nitrogen atom.

3.32.

- Yes. This negative charge is less stable than hydroxide.
- No. This negative charge is resonance stabilized and is more stable than hydroxide.
- No. This negative charge is resonance stabilized and is more stable than hydroxide.

3.33. Water is more acidic than ethanol. Indeed, the  $pK_a$  of water (15.7) is lower than the  $pK_a$  of ethanol (16).

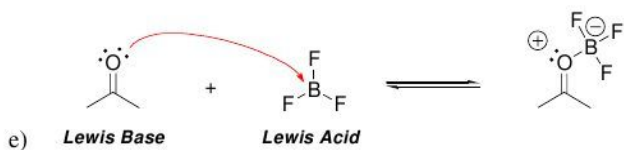
3.34.



a) **Lewis Base**                      **Lewis Acid**



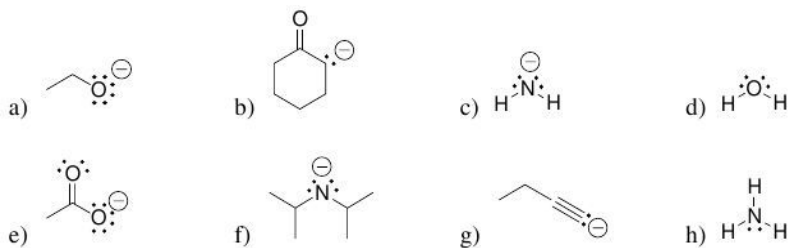
b) **Lewis Base**                      **Lewis Acid**



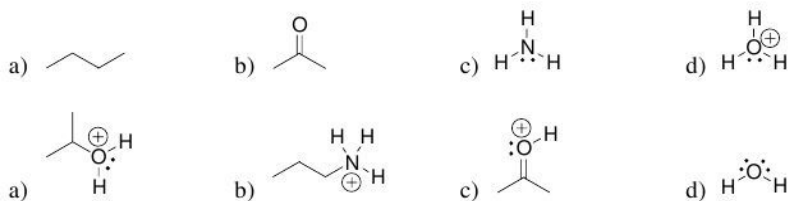
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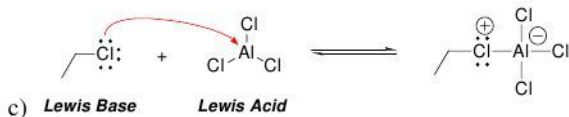
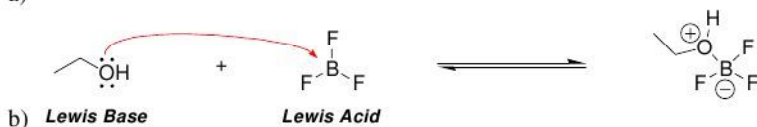
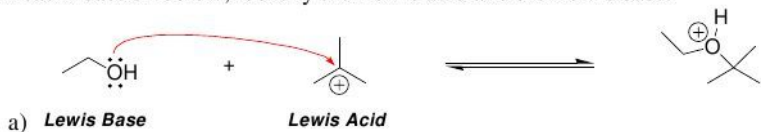


3.37.



**3.38.** Compound A is 1000 times more acidic than compound B.

**3.39.** In each reaction below, identify the Lewis acid and the Lewis base:



**3.40.**



**3.41.** No, because the leveling effect would cause the deprotonation of ethanol to form ethoxide ions, and the desired anion would not be formed under these conditions.

**3.42.** No, water would not be a suitable proton source in this case. This anion is the conjugate base of a carboxylic acid. The negative charge is resonance stabilized and is more stable than hydroxide.

**3.43.**





## 3.44.



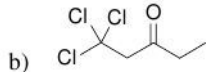
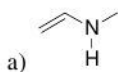
## 3.45.

a) The second anion is more stable because it is resonance stabilized.

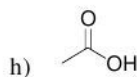
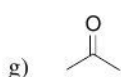
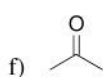
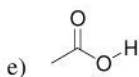
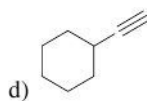
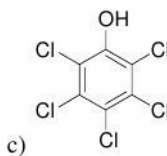
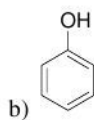
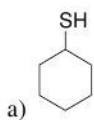
b) The second anion is more stable because the negative charge is on a nitrogen atom, rather than an  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atom.

c) The second anion is more stable because the negative charge is on an  $sp$  hybridized carbon atom, rather than an  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atom.

## 3.46.



## 3.47.

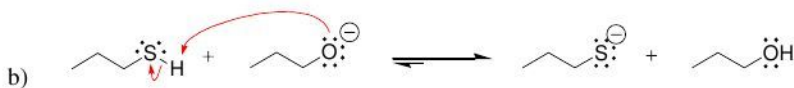


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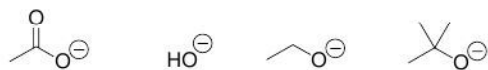
The equilibrium will favor the weaker acid (the acid with the higher  $pK_a$  value). In this case, the equilibrium favors formation of HA.

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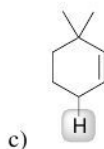
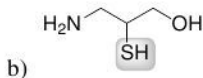
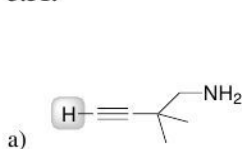


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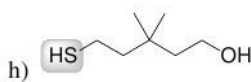
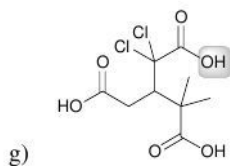
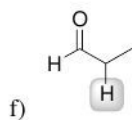
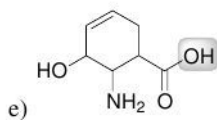
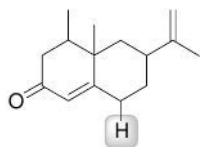
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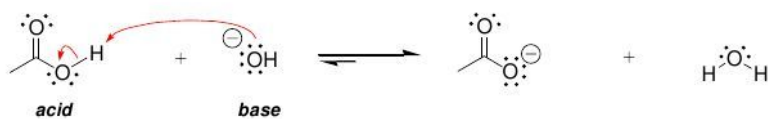






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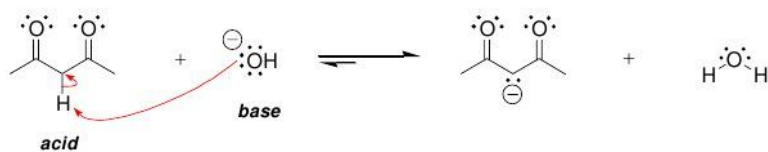
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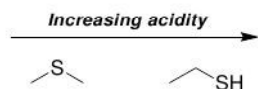
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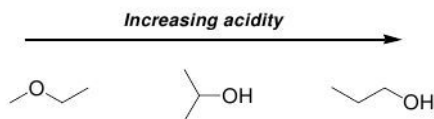
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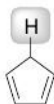


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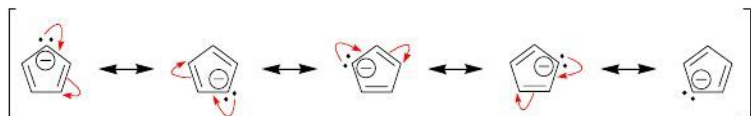
3.55.

- a) There is only one  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atom in cyclopentadiene.  
 b) The most acidic proton in cyclopentadiene is highlighted below:



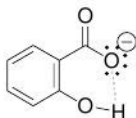
The corresponding conjugate base is highly resonance stabilized. In addition, the conjugate base is further stabilized by yet another factor that we will discuss in Chapter 18.

c)



- d) There are no  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atoms in the conjugate base.  
 e) All carbon atoms are  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar. Therefore, the entire compound has planar geometry.  
 f) There are five hydrogen atoms in the conjugate base.  
 g) There is one lone pair in the conjugate base, and it is highly delocalized.

3.56. When salicylic acid is deprotonated, the resulting conjugate base is further stabilized by intramolecular hydrogen bonding:



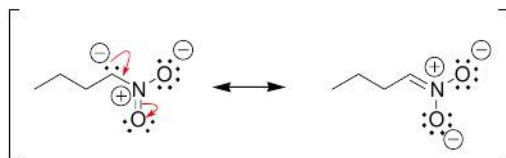
3.57.

- a) or   
 b) or (there are other possibilities as well)  
 c) or (there are other possibilities as well)

3.58. The four constitutional isomers are shown below.



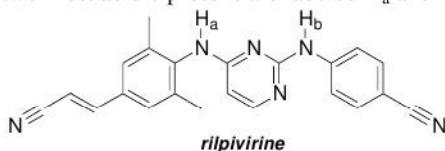
The last compound is expected to have the highest  $pK_a$  because its conjugate base is not resonance stabilized. The other three compounds have resonance-stabilized conjugate bases, for example:



**3.59.** Compare the conjugate bases. Both are resonance stabilized. But the conjugate base of the first compound has a negative charge spread over two nitrogen atoms and two carbon atoms, while the conjugate base of the second compound has a negative charge spread over one nitrogen atom and three carbon atoms. Since nitrogen is more electronegative than carbon, nitrogen is more capable of stabilizing a negative charge. Therefore, the conjugate base of the first compound is more stable than the conjugate base of the second compound. As a result, the first compound will be more acidic.

**3.60.**

a) The two most acidic protons are labeled  $H_a$  and  $H_b$ :



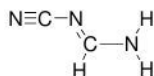
b)  $H_a$  is expected to be slightly more acidic than  $H_b$ , because removal of  $H_a$  produces a conjugate base that has one more resonance structure than the conjugate base formed from removal of  $H_b$ . The former has the negative charge spread over four nitrogen atoms and *five* carbon atoms, while the latter has the negative charge spread over four nitrogen atoms and *four* carbon atoms.

**3.61.**

a) When R is a cyano group, the conjugate base is resonance stabilized:



b) There are many possible answers. Here is one example, for which the conjugate base has the negative charge spread over three nitrogen atoms, rather than just two nitrogen atoms:



# Chapter 4

## Alkanes and Cycloalkanes

### Review of Concepts

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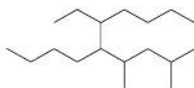
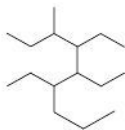
- Hydrocarbons that lack \_\_\_\_\_ are called **saturated hydrocarbons**, or \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ provide a systematic way for naming compounds.
- Rotation about C-C single bonds allows a compound to adopt a variety of \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **projections** are often used to draw the various conformations of a compound.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **conformations** are lower in energy, while \_\_\_\_\_ **conformations** are higher in energy.
- The difference in energy between staggered and eclipsed conformations of ethane is referred to as \_\_\_\_\_ **strain**.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **strain** occurs in cycloalkanes when bond angles deviate from the preferred \_\_\_\_\_°.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ conformation of cyclohexane has no torsional strain and very little angle strain.
- The term **ring flip** is used to describe the conversion of one \_\_\_\_\_ conformation into the other. When a ring has one substituent...the equilibrium will favor the chair conformation with the substituent in the \_\_\_\_\_ position.

### Review of Skills

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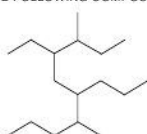
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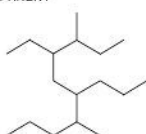


## SkillBuilder 4.2 Identifying and Naming Substituents

**STEP 1 - IDENTIFY THE PARENT IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND**

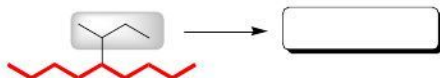


**STEPS 2 AND 3 - CIRCLE AND NAME ALL ALKYL SUBSTITUENTS CONNECTED TO THE PARENT**



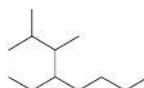
## SkillBuilder 4.3 Identifying and Naming Complex Substituents

PROVIDE A NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPLEX SUBSTITUENT (HIGHLIGHTED)



## SkillBuilder 4.4 Assembling the Systematic Name of an Alkane

PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

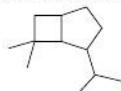


- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE



## SkillBuilder 4.5 Assembling the Name of a Bicyclic Compound

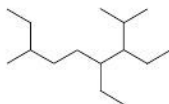
PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



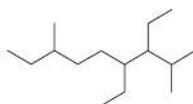
- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE



## SkillBuilder 4.6 Identifying Constitutional Isomers

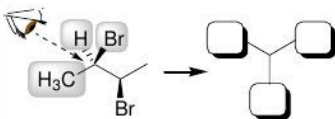


DETERMINE IF THESE TWO COMPOUNDS ARE THE SAME BY ASSIGNING A SYSTEMATIC NAME TO EACH AND THEN COMPARING THEM.

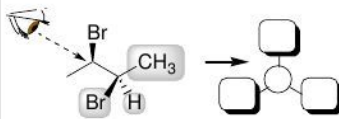


## SkillBuilder 4.7 Drawing Newman Projections

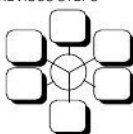
**STEP 1 - IDENTIFY THE THREE GROUPS CONNECTED TO THE FRONT CARBON ATOM**



**STEP 2 - IDENTIFY THE THREE GROUPS CONNECTED TO THE BACK CARBON ATOM**

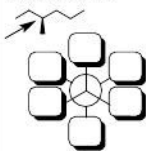


**STEP 3 - ASSEMBLE THE NEWMAN PROJECTION FROM THE TWO PIECES OBTAINED IN THE PREVIOUS STEPS**



**SkillBuilder 4.8 Identifying Relative Energy of Conformations**

**STEP 1** - DRAW A NEWMAN PROJECTION LOOKING DOWN THE BOND INDICATED



**STEP 2** - DRAW ALL THREE STAGGERED CONFORMATIONS AND DETERMINE WHICH ONE HAS THE FEWEST OR LEAST SEVERE GAUCHE INTERACTIONS



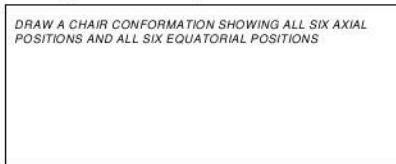
**STEP 3** - DRAW ALL THREE ECLIPSED CONFORMATIONS AND DETERMINE WHICH ONE HAS THE HIGHEST ENERGY INTERACTIONS

**SkillBuilder 4.9 Drawing a Chair Conformation**

DRAW A CHAIR CONFORMATION

**SkillBuilder 4.10 Drawing Axial and Equatorial Positions**

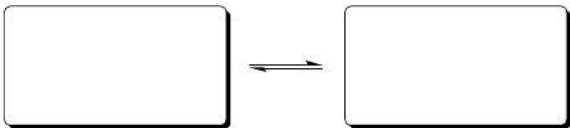
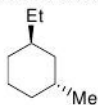
DRAW A CHAIR CONFORMATION SHOWING ALL SIX AXIAL POSITIONS AND ALL SIX EQUATORIAL POSITIONS

**SkillBuilder 4.11 Drawing Both Chair Conformations of a Monosubstituted Cyclohexane**

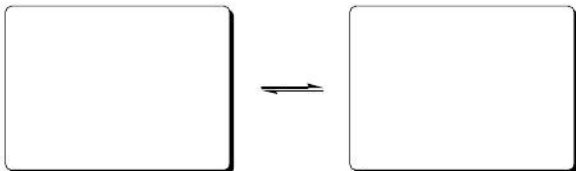
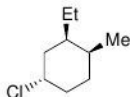
DRAW BOTH CHAIR CONFORMATIONS OF BROMOCYCLOHEXANE

**SkillBuilder 4.12 Drawing Both Chair Conformations of Disubstituted Cyclohexanes**

DRAW BOTH CHAIR CONFORMATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

**SkillBuilder 4.13 Drawing the More Stable Chair Conformation of Polysubstituted Cyclohexanes**

DRAW BOTH CHAIR CONFORMATIONS OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND AND DETERMINE WHICH ONE IS MORE STABLE

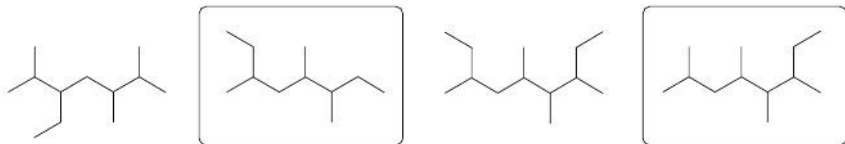


## Solutions

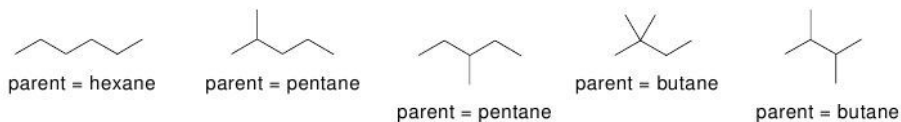
4.1.

- a) parent = hexane  
 c) parent = heptanes  
 e) parent = octane  
 g) parent = cyclopentane  
 i) parent = cyclopropane
- b) parent = heptane  
 d) parent = nonane  
 f) parent = heptane  
 h) parent = cycloheptene

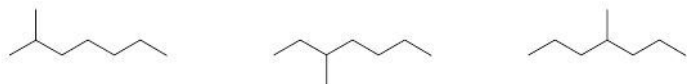
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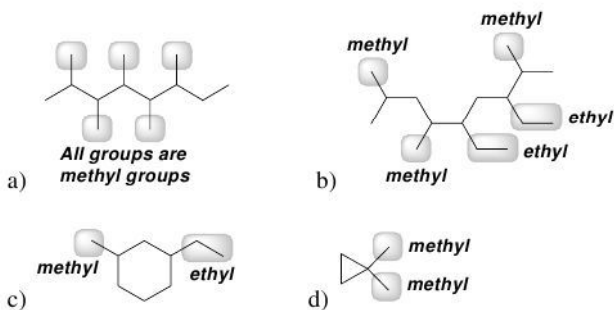
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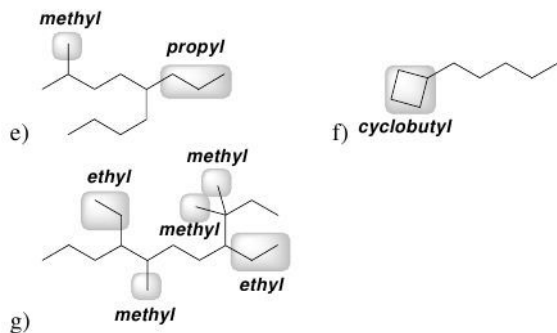


4.4. Only three of the isomers will have a parent name of heptane:

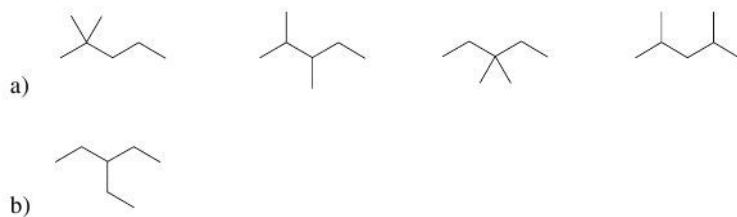


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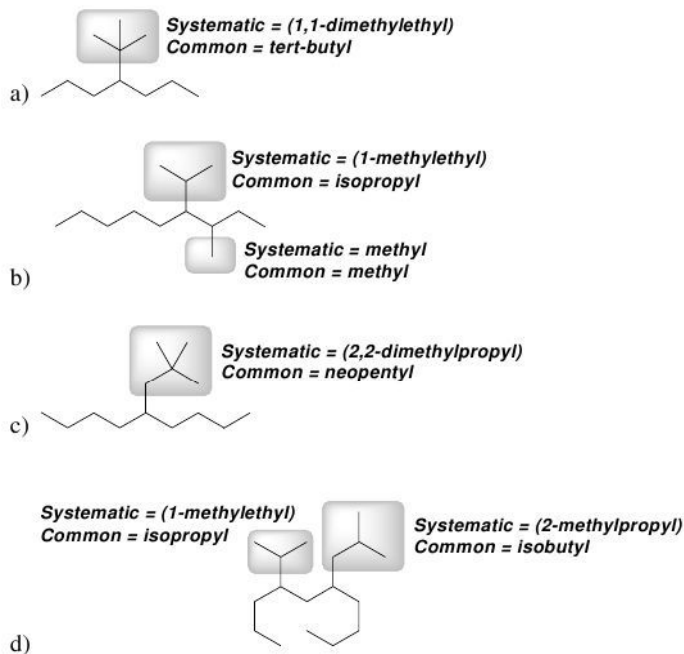




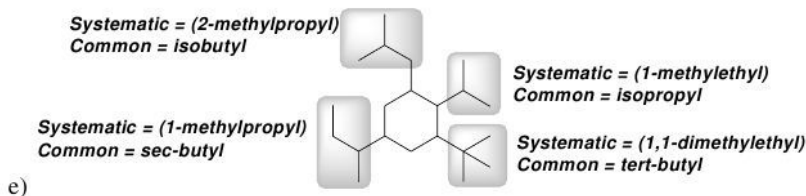
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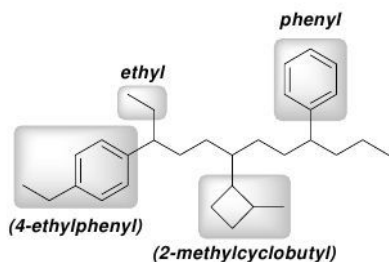
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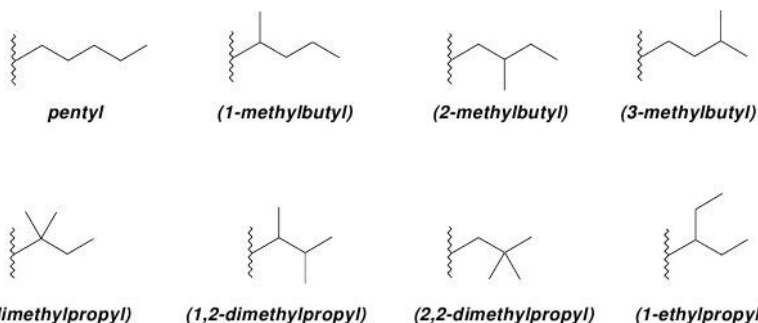




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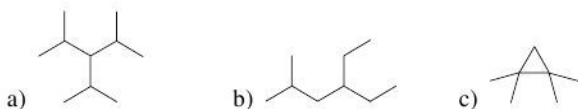


4.10.

- 3,4,6-trimethyloctane
- sec-butylcyclohexane
- 3-ethyl-2-methylheptane
- 3-isopropyl-2,4-dimethylpentane
- 3-ethyl-2,2-dimethylhexane
- 2-cyclohexyl-4-ethyl-5,6-dimethyloctane
- 3-ethyl-2,5-dimethyl-4-propylheptane
- 5-sec-butyl-4-ethyl-2-methyldecane
- 2,2,6,6,7,7-hexamethylnonane
- 4,5-dimethylnonane

- k) 2,4,4,6-tetramethylheptane  
 l) 2,2,5-trimethylpentane  
 m) 4-tert-butylheptane  
 n) 3-ethyl-6-isopropyl-2,4-dimethyldecane  
 o) 3,5-diethyl-2-methyloctane  
 p) 1,3-diisopropylcyclopentane  
 q) 3-ethyl-2,5-dimethylheptane

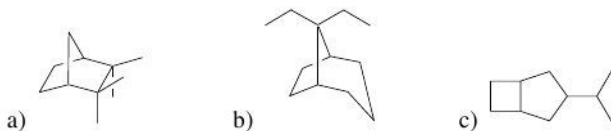
## 4.11.



## 4.12.

- a) 4-ethyl-1-methylbicyclo[3.2.1]octane  
 b) 2,2,5,7-tetramethylbicyclo[4.2.0]octane  
 c) 2,7,7-trimethylbicyclo[4.2.2]decane  
 d) 3-sec-butyl-2-methylbicyclo[3.1.0]hexane  
 e) 2,2-dimethylbicyclo[2.2.2]octane  
 f) 2,7-dimethylbicyclo[3.3.0]octane  
 g) bicyclo[1.1.0]butane  
 h) 5,5-dimethylbicyclo[2.1.1]hexane  
 i) 3-(3-methylbutyl)bicyclo[4.4.0]decane

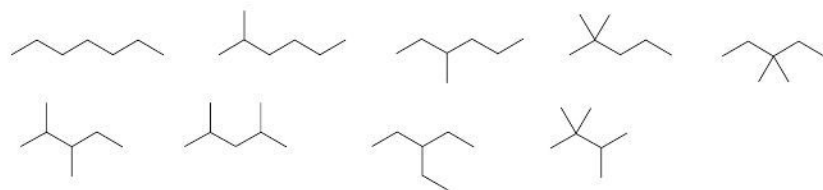
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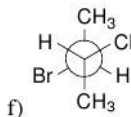
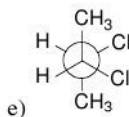
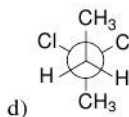
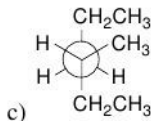
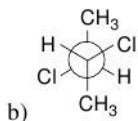
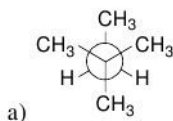
## 4.14.

- a) same compound  
 b) same compound  
 c) same compound  
 d) constitutional isomers

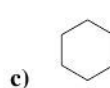
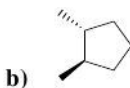
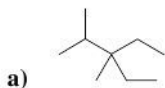
## 4.15.



## 4.16.



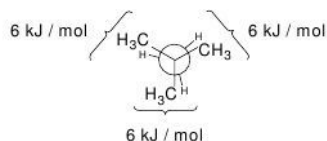
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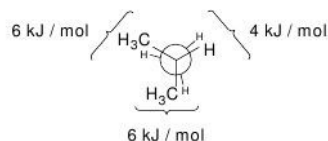
4.18. The compounds are not constitutional isomers. They are just two different representations of the same compound. They are both 2,3-dimethylbutane.

## 4.19.

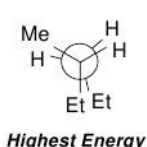
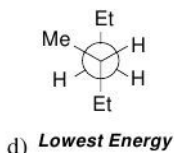
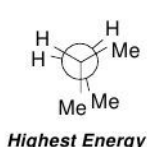
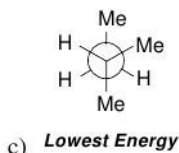
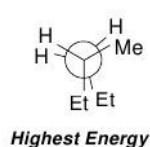
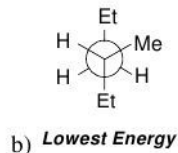
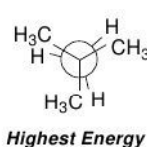
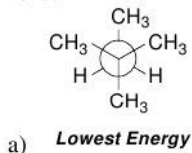
a) The energy barrier is expected to be approximately 18 kJ / mol (calculation below):



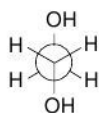
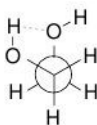
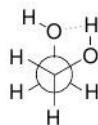
b) The energy barrier is expected to be approximately 16 kJ / mol (calculation below):



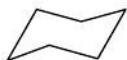
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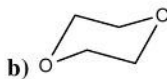
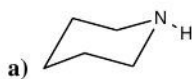
**4.21.** The gauche conformations are capable of intramolecular hydrogen bonding, as shown below. The anti conformation lacks this stabilizing effect.

*Anti**Gauche**Gauche*

**4.22.**



**4.23.**



**4.24.**



**4.25.**



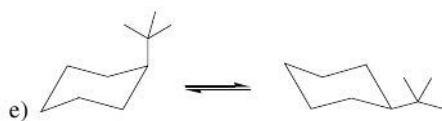
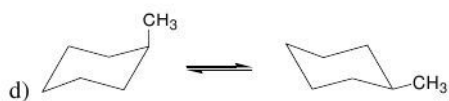
**4.26.**



**4.27.** There are eight hydrogen atoms in axial positions and seven hydrogen atoms in equatorial positions.

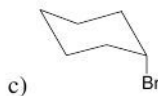
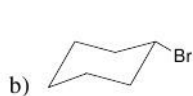
**4.28.**



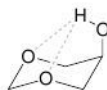


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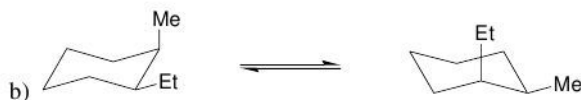
- a) The bromine atom occupies an equatorial position.

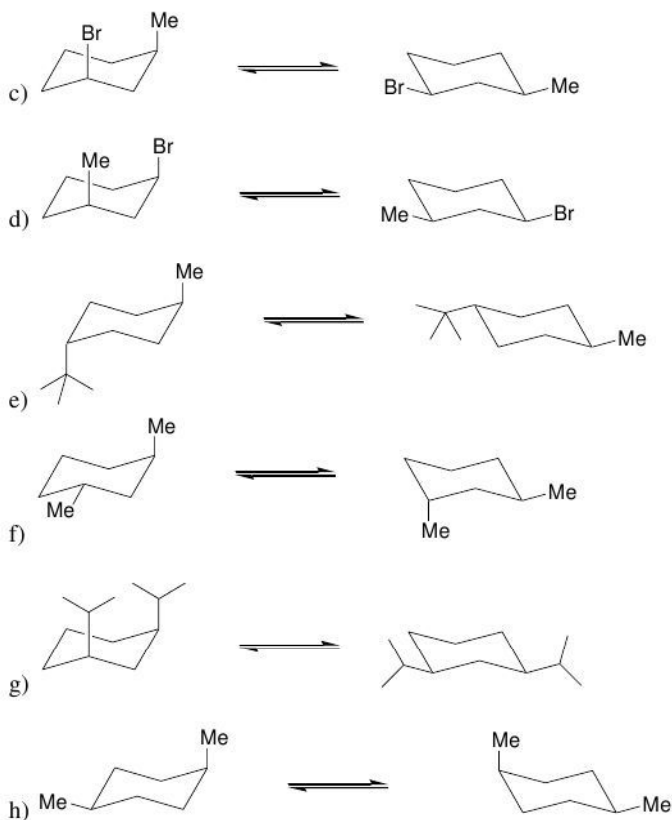


4.30. Although the OH group is in an axial position, nevertheless, this conformation is capable of intramolecular hydrogen bonding, which is a stabilizing effect:



## 4.31.

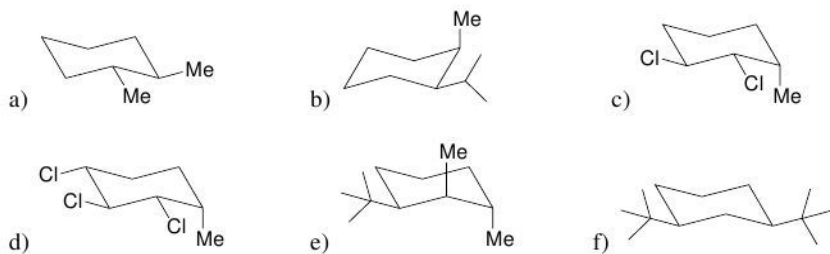




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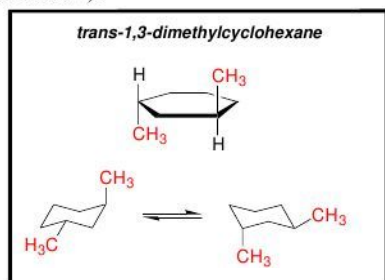
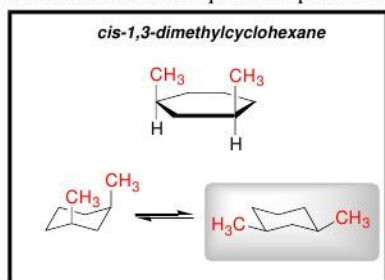
4.33.



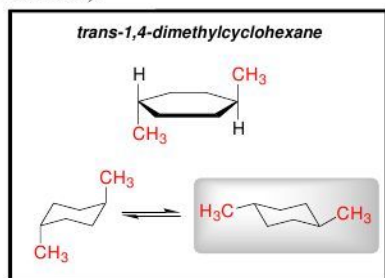
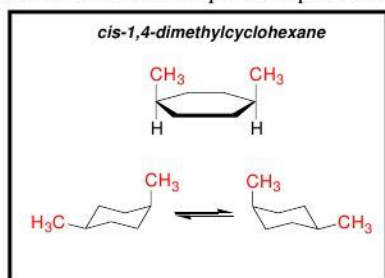
**4.34.** The two chair conformations of lindane are degenerate. There is no difference in energy between them.

**4.35.** *trans*-1,4-di-*tert*-butylcyclohexane exists predominantly in a chair conformation, because both substituents can occupy equatorial positions. In contrast, *cis*-1,4-di-*tert*-butylcyclohexane cannot have both of its substituents in equatorial positions. Each chair conformation has one of the substituents in an axial position, which is too high in energy. The compound can achieve a lower energy state by adopting a twist boat conformation.

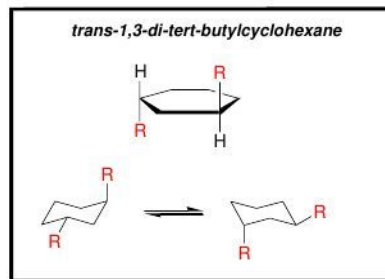
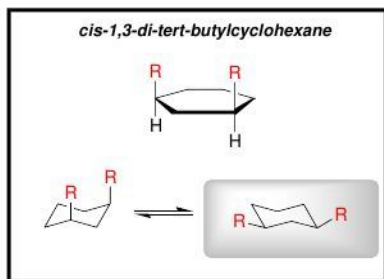
**4.36.** *cis*-1,3-dimethylcyclohexane is expected to be more stable than *trans*-1,3-dimethylcyclohexane because the former can adopt a chair conformation in which both substituents are in equatorial positions (highlighted below):



**4.37.** *trans*-1,4-dimethylcyclohexane is expected to be more stable than *cis*-1,4-dimethylcyclohexane because the latter can adopt a chair conformation in which both substituents are in equatorial positions (highlighted below):



**4.38.** *cis*-1,3-di-*tert*-butylcyclohexane can adopt a chair conformation in which both *tert*-butyl groups occupy equatorial positions (highlighted below), and as a result, it is expected to exist primarily in that conformation. In contrast, *trans*-1,3-di-*tert*-butylcyclohexane cannot adopt a chair conformation in which both *tert*-butyl groups occupy equatorial positions. In either chair conformation, one of the *tert*-butyl groups occupies an axial position. This compound can achieve a lower energy state by adopting a twist-boat conformation.



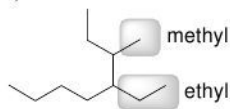
where R = *tert*-butyl group

**4.39.**

- parent = octane
- parent = nonane
- parent = octane
- parent = heptane

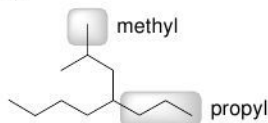
**4.40.**

a)



b) isopropyl or (1-methylethyl)

c)



d) *tert*-butyl or (1,1-dimethylethyl)



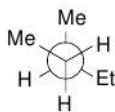
4.41.

- a) 2,3,5-trimethyl-4-propylheptane
- b) 1,2,4,5-tetramethyl-3-propylcyclohexane
- c) 2,3,5,9-tetramethylbicyclo[4.4.0]decane
- d) 1,4-dimethylbicyclo[2.2.2]octane

4.42.

- a) same compound
- b) constitutional isomers
- c) same compound

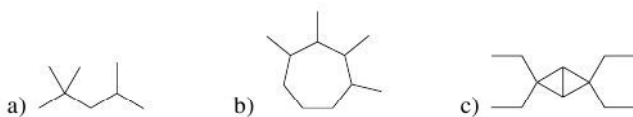
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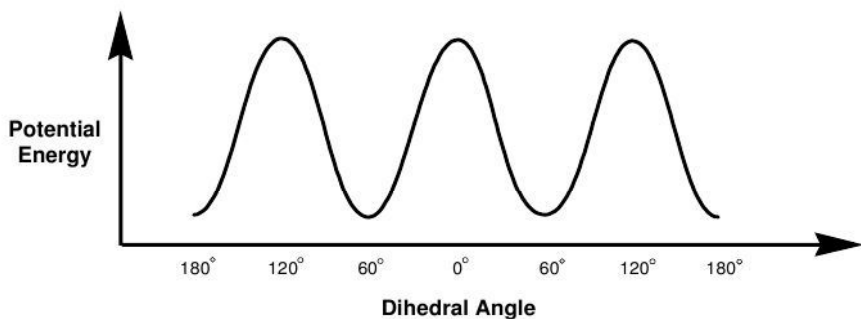
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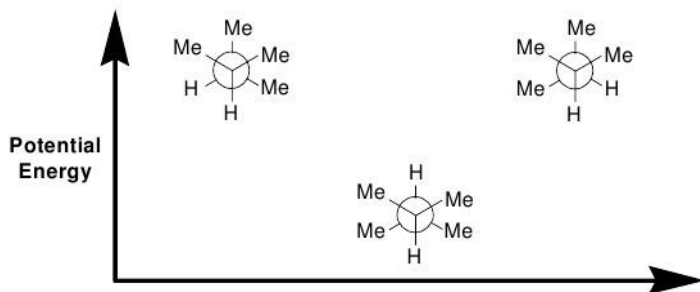
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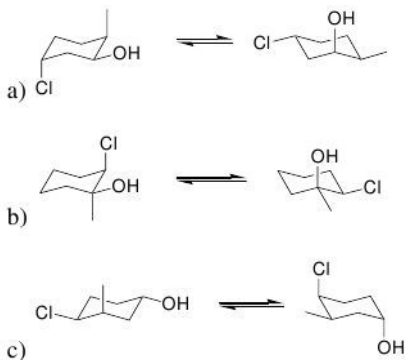
4.46. The energy diagram more closely resembles the shape of the energy diagram for the conformational analysis of ethane.



**4.47.** Two of the staggered conformations are degenerate. The remaining staggered conformation is lower in energy than the other two, as shown below:



**4.48.**



**4.49.**

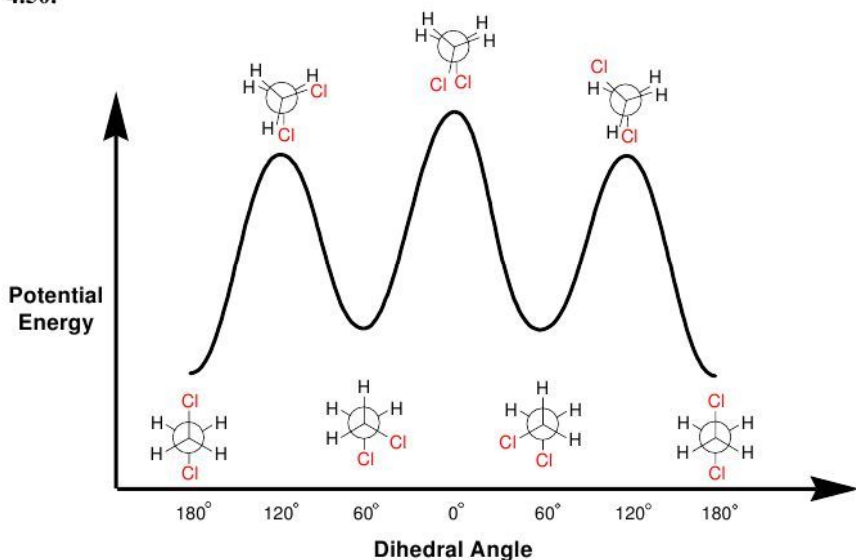
a) has more CH<sub>2</sub> groups.

b) cannot adopt a chair conformation in which both groups occupy equatorial positions.

c) cannot adopt a chair conformation in which both groups occupy equatorial positions.

d) cannot adopt a chair conformation in which both groups occupy equatorial positions.

4.50.

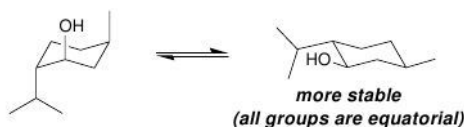


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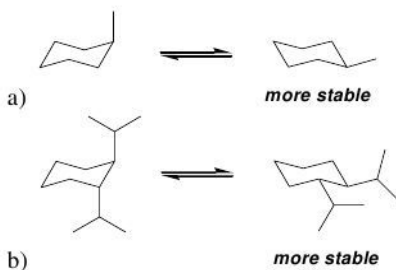
- hexane
- methylcyclohexane
- methylcyclopentane
- trans*-1,2-dimethylcyclopentane

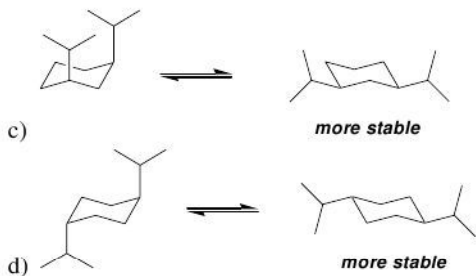
4.52. Each H-H eclipsing interaction is 4 kJ / mol, and there are two of them (for a total of 8 kJ / mol). The remaining energy cost is associated with the Br-H eclipsing interaction:  $15 - 8 = 7$  kJ / mol.

4.53.



4.54.

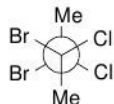




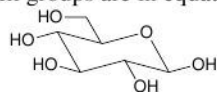
4.55.

- a) The second compound can adopt a chair conformation in which all three substituents occupy equatorial positions. Therefore, the second compound is expected to be more stable.
- b) The first compound can adopt a chair conformation in which all three substituents occupy equatorial positions. Therefore, the first compound is expected to be more stable.
- c) The first compound can adopt a chair conformation in which both substituents occupy equatorial positions. Therefore, the first compound is expected to be more stable.
- d) The first compound can adopt a chair conformation in which all four substituents occupy equatorial positions. Therefore, the first compound is expected to be more stable.

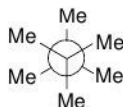
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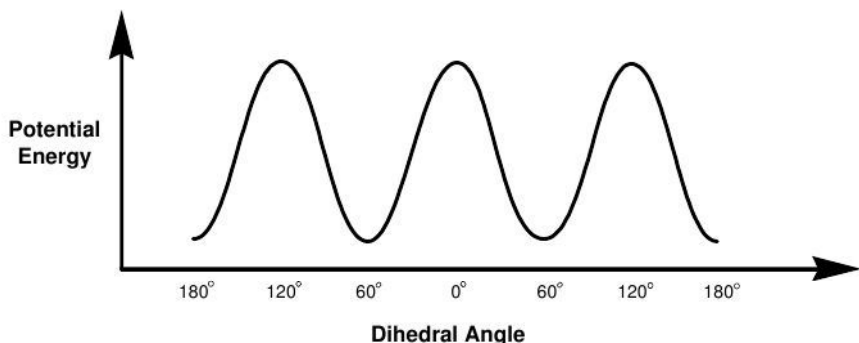
4.57. All groups are in equatorial positions.



4.58.

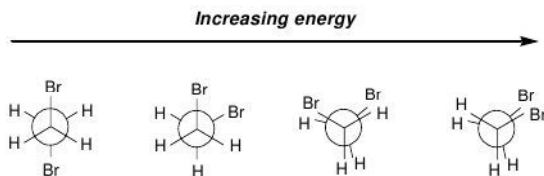
**2,2,4,4-tetramethylbutane**

All staggered conformations are degenerate, and the same is true for all eclipsed conformations. The energy diagram has a shape that is similar to the energy diagram for the conformational analysis of ethane:



The staggered conformations have six gauche interactions, each of which has an energy cost of 3.8 kJ / mol. Therefore, each staggered conformation has an energy cost of 22.8 kJ / mol. The eclipsed conformations have three methyl-methyl eclipsing interactions, each of which has an energy cost of 11 kJ / mol. Therefore, each eclipsed conformation has an energy cost of 33 kJ / mol. The difference in energy between staggered and eclipsed conformations is therefore expected to be approximately 10.2 kJ / mol.

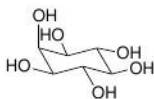
4.59.



4.60.

- a) This conformation has three gauche interactions, each of which has an energy cost of 3.8 kJ / mol. Therefore, this conformation has a total energy cost of 11.4 kJ / mol associated with torsional strain and steric strain.
- b) This conformation has two methyl-H eclipsing interactions, each of which has an energy cost of 6 kJ / mol. In addition, it also has one methyl-methyl eclipsing interaction, which has an energy cost of 11 kJ / mol. Therefore, this conformation has a total energy cost of 23 kJ / mol associated with torsional strain and steric strain.

4.61.



4.62.

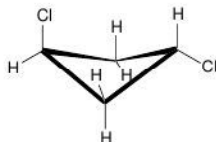
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| a) equatorial | b) equatorial | c) axial |
| d) equatorial | e) equatorial | f) axial |

4.63.



cyclopropane

4.64. As mentioned in Section 4.9, cyclobutene adopts a slightly puckered conformation in order to alleviate some of the torsional strain associated with the eclipsing hydrogen atoms:



In this non-planar conformation, the individual dipole moments of the C-Cl bonds in *trans*-1,3-dichlorocyclobutane do not fully cancel each other, giving rise to a small molecular dipole moment.

4.65. Cyclohexene cannot adopt a chair conformation because two of the carbon atoms are  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar. A chair conformation can only be achieved when all six carbon atoms are  $sp^3$  hybridized and tetrahedral (with bond angles of  $109.5^\circ$ ).

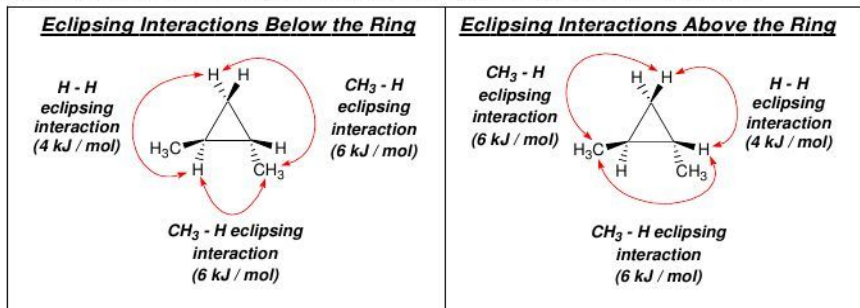
4.66.

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|---------------------------|---|
| a) identical compounds    | b) constitutional isomers                       |
| c) identical compounds    | d) constitutional isomers                       |
| e) identical compounds    | f) stereoisomers                                |
| g) stereoisomers          | h) stereoisomers                                |
| i) constitutional isomers | j) different conformations of the same compound |
| k) stereoisomers          | l) constitutional isomers                       |

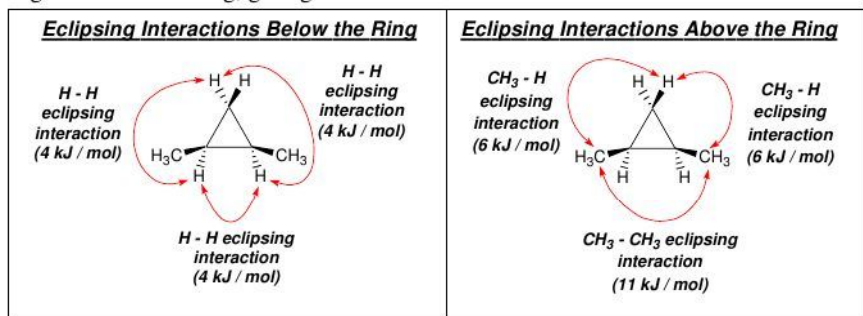
4.67.

a) the *trans* isomer is expected to be more stable, because the *cis* isomer has a very high energy methyl-methyl eclipsing interaction (11 kJ/mol). See calculation below.

b) We calculate the energy cost associated with all eclipsing interactions in both compounds. Let's begin with the *trans* isomer. It has the following eclipsing interactions, below the ring and above the ring, giving a total of 32 kJ/mol:



Now let's focus on the *cis* isomer. It has the following eclipsing interactions, below the ring and above the ring, giving a total of 35 kJ / mol:

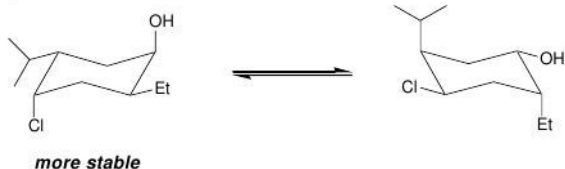


The difference between these two isomers is therefore predicted to be (35 kJ / mol) – (32 kJ / mol) = 3 kJ / mol.

**4.68.** With increasing halogen size, the bond length also increases. That is, the C-I bond is longer than the C-Br bond, which is longer than the C-Cl bond. So, although iodine is much larger than the other halogens, the longer bond length helps to accommodate the additional steric bulk. These two factors (increased steric bulk and increased bond length) mostly offset each other.

**4.69.**

a)



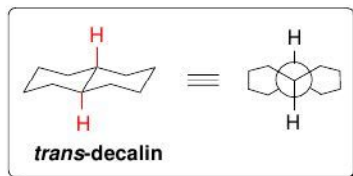
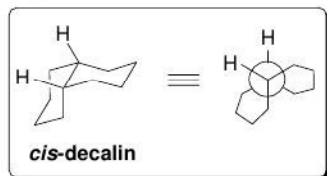
b) Comparison of these chair conformations requires a comparison of the energy costs associated with all axial substituents (see Table 4.8). The first chair conformation has two axial substituents: an OH group (energy cost = 4.2 kJ / mol) and a Cl group (energy cost = 2.0 kJ / mol), giving a total of 6.2 kJ / mol. The second chair conformation has two axial substituents: an isopropyl group (energy cost = 9.2 kJ / mol) and an ethyl group (energy cost = 8.0 kJ / mol), giving a total of 17.2 kJ / mol. The first chair conformation has a lower energy cost, and is therefore more stable.

c) Using the numbers calculated in part b, the difference in energy between the these two chair conformations is expected to be (17.2 kJ / mol) – (6.2 kJ / mol) = 11 kJ / mol. Using the numbers in Table 4.8, we see that a difference of 9 kJ / mol corresponds with a ratio of 97:3 for the two conformations. In this case, the difference in energy is more

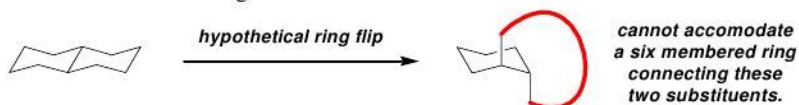
than 9 kJ / mol, so the ratio should be even higher (more than 97%). Therefore, we do expect the compound to spend more than 95% of its time in the more stable chair conformation.

#### 4.70.

a) *cis*-Decalin has three gauche interactions, while *trans*-decalin has only two gauche interactions.



b) *trans*-Decalin is incapable of ring flipping, because a ring flip of one ring would cause its two alkyl substituents (which comprise the second ring) to be too far apart to accommodate the second ring.





# Chapter 5

## Stereoisomerism

### Review of Concepts

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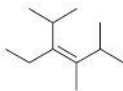
- \_\_\_\_\_ **isomers** have the same connectivity of atoms but differ in their spatial arrangement.
- **Chiral** objects are not **superimposable** on their \_\_\_\_\_. The most common source of molecular chirality is the presence of a \_\_\_\_\_, a carbon atom bearing \_\_\_\_\_ different groups.
- A compound with one chirality center will have one non-superimposable mirror image, called its \_\_\_\_\_.
- The Cahn-Ingold-Prelog system is used to assign the \_\_\_\_\_ of a chirality center.
- A **polarimeter** is a device used to measure the ability of chiral organic compounds to rotate the plane of \_\_\_\_\_ light. Such compounds are said to be \_\_\_\_\_ **active**.
- A solution containing equal amounts of both enantiomers is called a \_\_\_\_\_ **mixture**. A solution containing a pair of enantiomers in unequal amounts is described in terms of **enantiomeric** \_\_\_\_\_ (*ee*).
- For a compound with multiple chirality centers, a family of stereoisomers exists. Each stereoisomer will have at most one enantiomer, with the remaining members of the family being \_\_\_\_\_.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ **compound** contains multiple chirality centers but is nevertheless achiral because it possesses reflectional symmetry.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **projections** are drawings that convey the configuration of chirality centers, without the use of wedges and dashes.

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 5. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

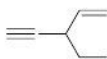
#### SkillBuilder 5.1 Identifying *cis-trans* Stereoisomerism

ASSIGN THE CONFIGURATION OF THE FOLLOWING DOUBLE BOND AS CIS OR TRANS



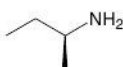
#### SkillBuilder 5.2 Locating Chirality Centers

CIRCLE THE CHIRALITY CENTER IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



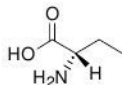
## SkillBuilder 5.3 Drawing an Enantiomer

SHOW THREE WAYS TO DRAW THE ENANTIOMER OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND. PLACE YOUR ANSWERS IN THE BOXES SHOWN.



## SkillBuilder 5.4 Assigning Configuration

ASSIGN THE CONFIGURATION OF THE CHIRALITY CENTER IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



## SkillBuilder 5.5 Calculating specific rotation

CALCULATE THE SPECIFIC ROTATION GIVEN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

0.300 grams sucrose dissolved in 10.0 mL of water  
sample cell = 10.0 cm  
observed rotation = +1.99°

$$\text{specific rotation} = [\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l} = \frac{\boxed{\phantom{000}}}{\boxed{\phantom{000}} \times \boxed{\phantom{000}}} = \boxed{\phantom{000}}$$

## SkillBuilder 5.6 Calculating % ee

CALCULATE THE ENANTIOMERIC EXCESS GIVEN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

The specific rotation of optically pure adrenaline is -53°. A mixture of (*R*)- and (*S*)-adrenaline was found to have a specific rotation of -45°. Calculate the % ee of the mixture

$$\% ee = \frac{\text{observed } [\alpha]}{[\alpha] \text{ of pure enantiomer}} \times 100 \%$$

$$= \frac{\boxed{\phantom{000}}}{\boxed{\phantom{000}}} \times 100 \% = \boxed{\phantom{000}}$$

## SkillBuilder 5.7 Determining Stereoisomeric Relationship

IDENTIFY THE STEREOISOMERIC RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE FOLLOWING TWO COMPOUNDS



## SkillBuilder 5.8 Identifying Meso Compounds



DRAW ALL POSSIBLE STEREOISOMERS OF 1,2-CYCLOHEXANEDIOL (SHOWN LEFT), AND THEN LOOK FOR A PLANE OF SYMMETRY IN ANY OF THE DRAWINGS. THE PRESENCE OF A PLANE OF SYMMETRY INDICATES A MESO COMPOUND



+



ENANTIOMERS



=



MESO

**SkillBuilder 5.9** Assigning configuration from a Fischer projection

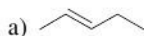
ASSIGN THE CONFIGURATION  
OF THE CHIRALITY CENTER IN  
THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

**Solutions****5.1.**

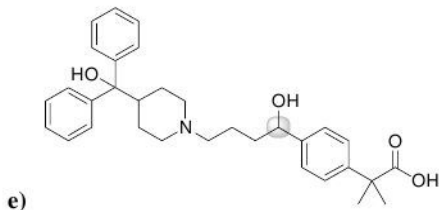
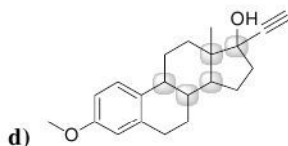
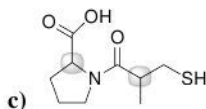
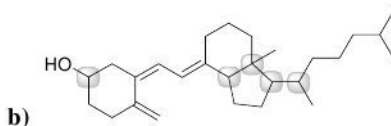
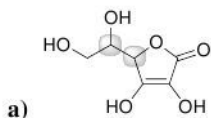
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| a) <i>trans</i> | b) not stereoisomeric |
| c) <i>trans</i> | d) <i>trans</i>       |
| e) <i>trans</i> | f) not stereoisomeric |
| g) <i>cis</i>   |                       |

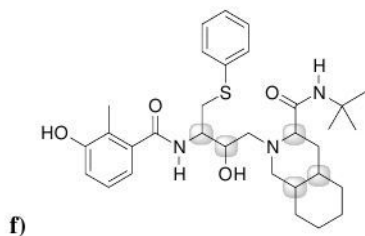
**5.2.**  $\text{H}_2\text{CCHCH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{CHCH}_2 =$

Neither double bond exhibits stereoisomerism, so this compound does not have any stereoisomers.

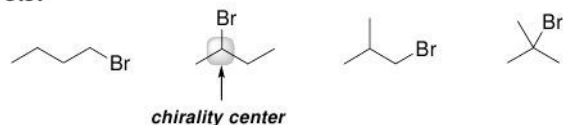
**5.3.**

**5.4.** All chirality centers are highlighted below:



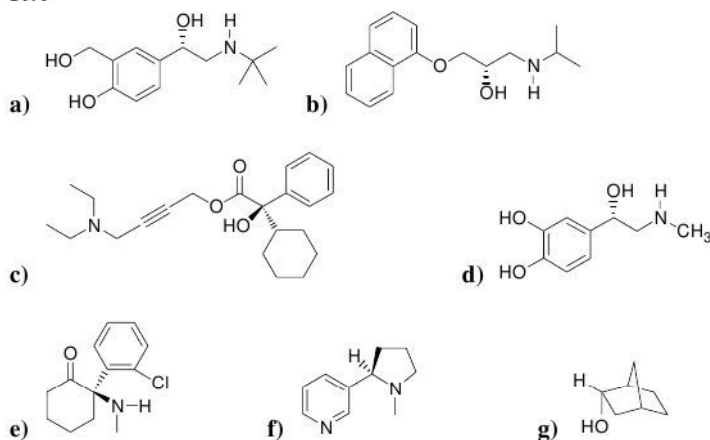


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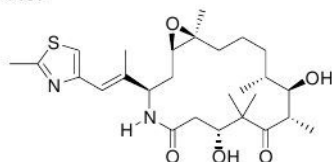


5.6. The phosphorus atom has four different groups attached to it (a methyl group, an ethyl group, a phenyl group, and a lone pair). This phosphorous atom therefore represents a chirality center. This compound is not superimposable on its mirror image, as can be seen clearly by building and comparing molecular models.

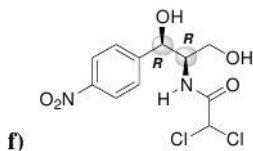
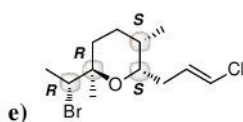
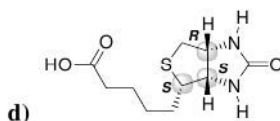
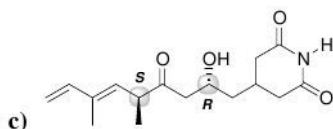
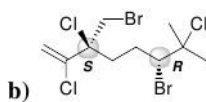
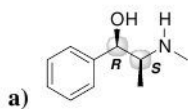
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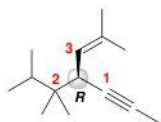
5.8.



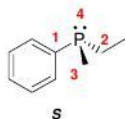
5.9.



5.10.



5.11.



5.12. specific rotation =  $[\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l} = \frac{(+1.47^\circ)}{(0.0575 \text{ g / mL}) \times (1.00 \text{ dm})} = +25.6$

5.13. specific rotation =  $[\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l} = \frac{(-2.99^\circ)}{(0.095 \text{ g / mL}) \times (1.00 \text{ dm})} = -31.5$

5.14. specific rotation =  $[\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l} = \frac{(+0.57^\circ)}{(0.260 \text{ g / mL}) \times (1.00 \text{ dm})} = +2.2$

5.15. This compound does not have a chirality center, because two of the groups are identical:



Accordingly, the compound is achiral and is not optically active.

**5.16.**

$$[\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l}$$

$$\alpha = [\alpha] \times c \times l = (+13.5)(0.100 \text{ g / mL})(1.00 \text{ dm}) = +1.35^\circ$$

**5.17.**

$$\% ee = \frac{\text{observed } [\alpha]}{[\alpha] \text{ of pure enantiomer}} \times 100 \%$$

$$= \frac{(-37^\circ)}{(-39.5^\circ)} \times 100 \%$$

$$= 94 \%$$

**5.18.**

$$\% ee = \frac{\text{observed } [\alpha]}{[\alpha] \text{ of pure enantiomer}} \times 100 \%$$

$$= \frac{(-6.0^\circ)}{(-6.3^\circ)} \times 100 \%$$

$$= 95 \%$$

**5.19.**

$$\% ee = \frac{\text{observed } [\alpha]}{[\alpha] \text{ of pure enantiomer}} \times 100 \%$$

$$= \frac{(85^\circ)}{(92^\circ)} \times 100 \%$$

$$= 92 \%$$

$$5.20. \text{ Observed } [\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l} = \frac{(+0.78^\circ)}{(0.350 \text{ g / mL}) \times (1.00 \text{ dm})} = +2.2$$

$$\% ee = \frac{\text{observed } [\alpha]}{[\alpha] \text{ of pure enantiomer}} \times 100 \%$$

$$= \frac{(2.2^\circ)}{(2.8^\circ)} \times 100 \%$$

$$= 79 \%$$

5.21.

- a) enantiomers
- b) diastereomers
- c) diastereomers
- d) diastereomers
- e) diastereomers
- f) enantiomers

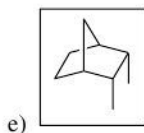
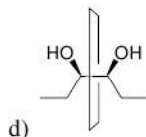
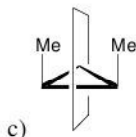
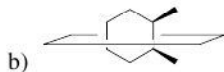
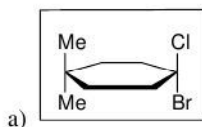
5.22. There are three chirality centers, and only one of these chirality centers has a different configuration in these two compounds. The other two chirality centers have the same configuration in both compounds. Therefore, these compounds are diastereomers.

5.23.

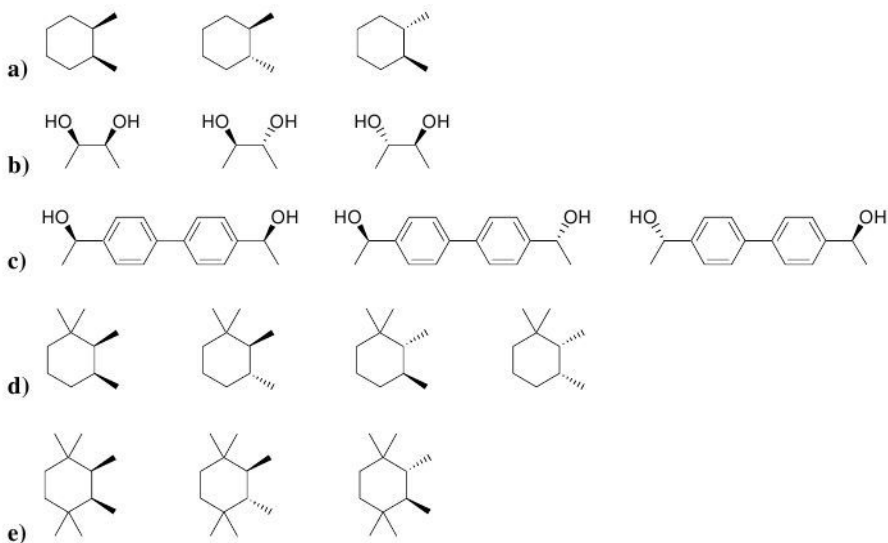
- a) yes      b) yes      c) no      d) yes      e) yes      f) no

5.24. 5.23f has three planes of symmetry.

5.25.



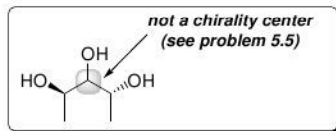
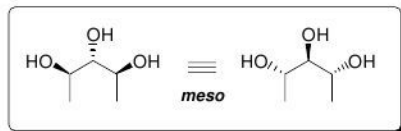
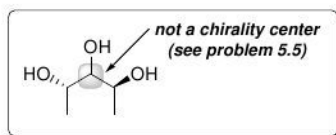
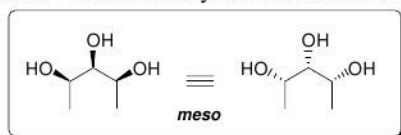
5.26.



5.27. Each of these compounds is a meso compound and does not have an enantiomer.



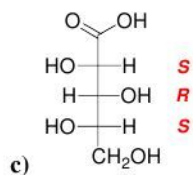
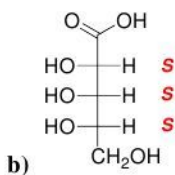
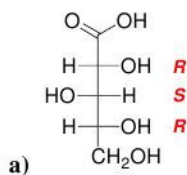
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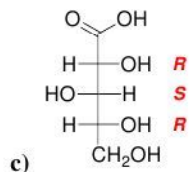
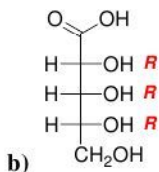
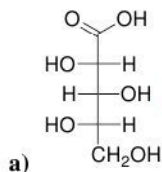
5.29. a) R      b) S      c) S      d) S



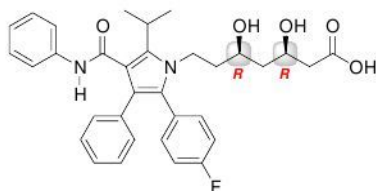
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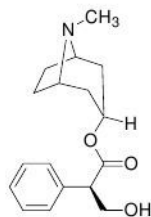
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5.32.



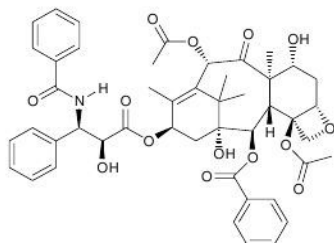
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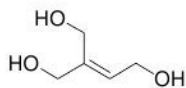
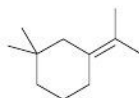
5.34.

a) Paclitaxel has eleven chirality centers.

b) The enantiomer of paclitaxel is shown below:



5.35.

*trans**not stereoisomeric**not stereoisomeric*

5.36.

- enantiomers
- same compound
- constitutional isomers
- constitutional isomers
- diastereomers
- same compound
- enantiomers
- diastereomers
- same compound
- same compound
- same compound
- same compound

5.37. a) 8

b) 3

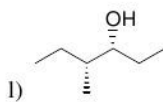
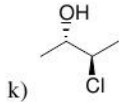
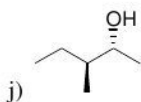
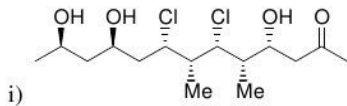
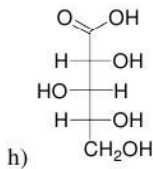
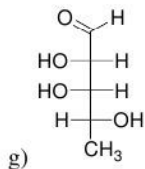
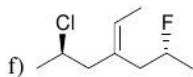
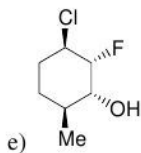
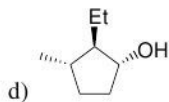
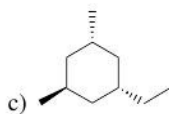
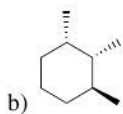
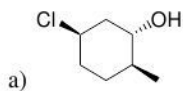
c) 16

d) 3

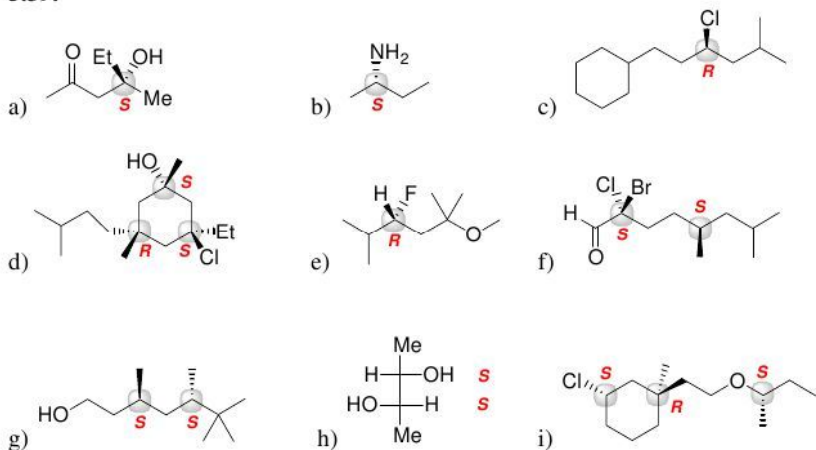
e) 3

f) 32

5.38.



## 5.39.



## 5.40. 96% ee

## 5.41.

- diastereomers
- diastereomers
- enantiomers
- same compound
- enantiomers
- diastereomers
- enantiomers
- diastereomers
- enantiomers
- same compound
- enantiomer
- diastereomers

## 5.42.

$$\% ee = \frac{\text{observed } [\alpha]}{[\alpha] \text{ of pure enantiomer}} \times 100 \%$$

$$= \frac{(-55^\circ)}{(-61^\circ)} \times 100 \%$$

$$= 90 \%$$

5.43.

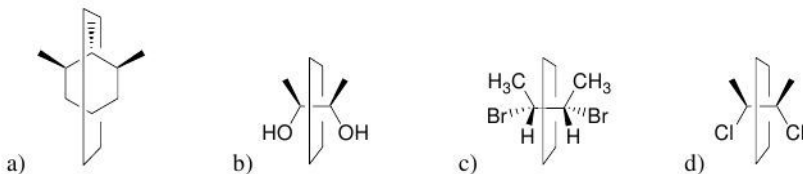
- a) True.  
b) False.  
c) True.

$$5.44. \quad \text{specific rotation} = [\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l} = \frac{(-0.47^\circ)}{(0.0075 \text{ g / mL}) \times (1.00 \text{ dm})} = -63$$

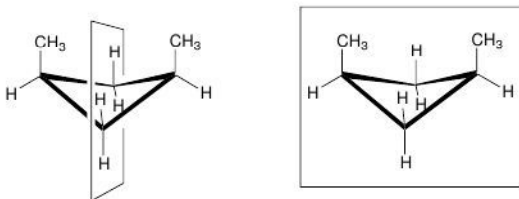
5.45.

- a) (*S*)-limonene      b) (*R*)-limonene      c) (*S*)-limonene      d) (*R*)-limonene

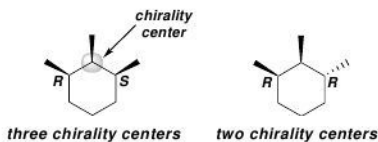
5.46.



5.47.



5.48. The first compound has three chirality centers:



This is apparent if we assign the configuration at C1 and C3 of the cyclohexane ring. In the first compound, the configuration at C1 is different than the configuration at C3. As a result, there are four different groups attached to the C2 position. That is, C1 and C3 represent two different groups: one with the *R* configuration and the other with the *S* configuration. In contrast, consider the configuration at C1 and C3 in the second compound. Both of these positions have the same configuration, and therefore, the C2 position in that compound does not have four different groups. Two of the groups are identical, so C2 is not a chirality center.

**5.49.**

- a) enantiomers
- b) diastereomers
- c) enantiomers
- d) same compound
- e) enantiomers
- f) diastereomers
- g) same compound
- h) constitutional isomers
- i) diastereomers
- j) diastereomers
- k) same compound
- l) enantiomers

**5.50.**

- a) -61
- b) 90 % *ee*
- c) 95 % of the mixture is (*S*)-carvone

**5.51.**

- |            |            |            |            |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| a) chiral  | b) chiral  | c) achiral | d) achiral |
| e) chiral  | f) achiral | g) achiral | h) chiral  |
| i) chiral  | j) achiral | k) chiral  | l) chiral  |
| m) achiral | n) chiral  |            | o) achiral |

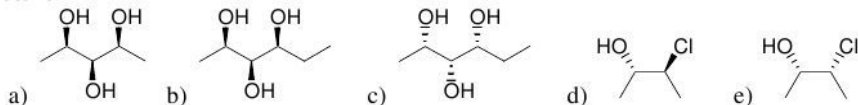
**5.52.**

$$[\alpha] = \frac{\alpha}{c \times l}$$

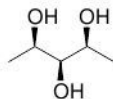
$$\alpha = [\alpha] \times c \times l = (+24)(0.0100 \text{ g / mL})(1.00 \text{ dm}) = +0.24^\circ$$

**5.53.**

- a) optically inactive (meso)
- b) optically active
- c) optically active
- d) optically inactive
- e) optically active
- f) optically inactive (3-methylpentane has no chirality centers)
- g) optically inactive (meso)
- h) optically inactive

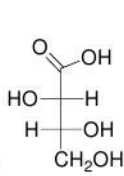
**5.54.**

5.55.

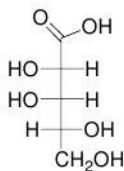


- a)  
 b) No. A racemic mixture is not optically active.  
 c) Yes, because d and e are not enantiomers. They are diastereomers, which are not expected to exhibit equal and opposite rotations.

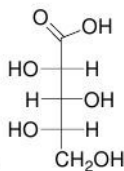
5.56.



a)



b)

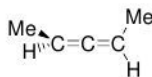
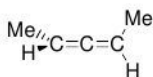


c)

5.57.

- a) 3-methylpentane and 2-methylpentane are constitutional isomers.  
 b) *trans*-1,2-dimethylcyclohexane and *cis*-1,2-dimethylcyclohexane are diastereomers.

5.58. The following two compounds are enantiomers because they are nonsuperimposable mirror images. You may find it helpful to construct molecular models to help visualize the mirror image relationship between these two compounds.

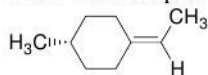


5.59. This compound will be achiral.

5.60.

- a) This compound cannot be completely planar because steric hindrance prevents the two ring systems from rotating with respect to each other. The compound is locked in a particular conformation that is chiral.  
 b) This ring system cannot be planar because of steric hindrance, and must therefore adopt a spiral shape (like a spiral staircase). The spiral can be right handed or left handed, and the relationship between these two forms is enantiomeric.

5.61. The compound is chiral because it is not superimposable on its mirror image.



5.62. This compound has a center of inversion, which is a form of reflection symmetry. As a result, this compound is superimposable on its mirror image and is therefore optically inactive.

# Chapter 6

## Chemical Reactivity and Mechanisms

### Review of Concepts

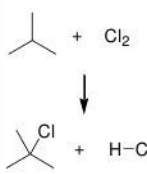
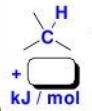
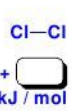
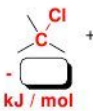
Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 6. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- \_\_\_\_\_ reactions involve a transfer of energy from the system to the surroundings, while \_\_\_\_\_ reactions involve a transfer of energy from the surroundings to the system.
- Each type of bond has a unique \_\_\_\_\_ **energy**, which is the amount of energy necessary to accomplish **homolytic bond cleavage**.
- **Entropy** is loosely defined as the \_\_\_\_\_ of a system.
- In order for a process to be spontaneous, the change in \_\_\_\_\_ must be negative.
- The study of relative energy levels and equilibrium concentrations is called \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is the study of reaction rates.
- \_\_\_\_\_ speed up the rate of a reaction by providing an alternate pathway with a lower **energy of activation**.
- On an energy diagram, each peak represents a \_\_\_\_\_, while each valley represents \_\_\_\_\_.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ has an electron-rich atom that is capable of donating a pair of electrons.
- An \_\_\_\_\_ has an electron-deficient atom that is capable of accepting a pair of electrons.
- For **ionic reactions**, there are four characteristic arrow-pushing patterns:  
1) \_\_\_\_\_, 2) \_\_\_\_\_, 3) \_\_\_\_\_, and 4) \_\_\_\_\_.
- As a result of **hyperconjugation**, \_\_\_\_\_ carbocations are more stable than secondary carbocations, which are more stable than \_\_\_\_\_ carbocations.

## Review of Skills

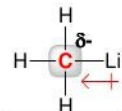
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### SkillBuilder 6.1 Predicting $\Delta H^\circ$ of a Reaction


<p><b>EXAMPLE</b> CALCULATE <math>\Delta H^\circ</math> FOR THIS REACTION</p> 	<p><b>STEPS 1 AND 2</b> IDENTIFY THE BDE OF EACH BOND BROKEN AND FORMED, AND DETERMINE THE APPROPRIATE SIGN FOR EACH VALUE</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>+ <input type="text"/> kJ/mol</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>+ <input type="text"/> kJ/mol</p> </div> </div> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">  <p>+ <input type="text"/> kJ/mol</p> </div>	<p><b>STEP 3</b> TAKE THE SUM OF STEPS 1 AND 2</p> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p><math>\left( + \text{ <input type="text"/> kJ/mol } \right) + \left( - \text{ <input type="text"/> kJ/mol } \right)</math></p> <p>= <input type="text"/> kJ/mol</p> </div>
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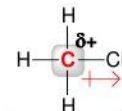
### SkillBuilder 6.2 Identifying Nucleophilic and Electrophilic Centers


CLASSIFY EACH OF THE HIGHLIGHTED REGIONS BELOW AS EITHER A NUCLEOPHILIC CENTER OR AN ELECTROPHILIC CENTER





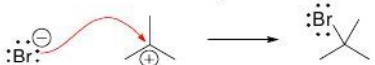

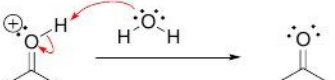







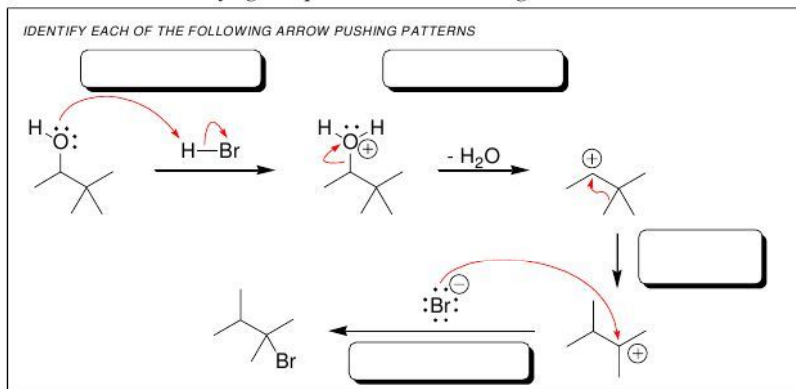
### SkillBuilder 6.3 Identifying an Arrow Pushing Pattern

IDENTIFY EACH OF THE FOUR TYPES OF ARROW PUSHING PATTERNS

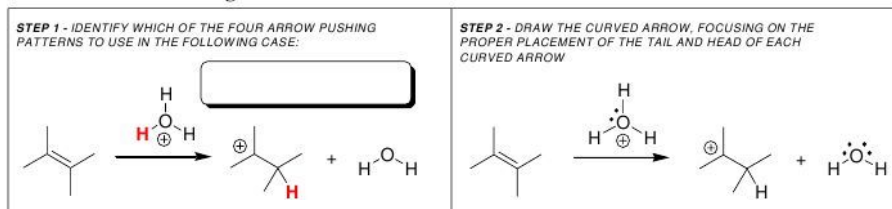
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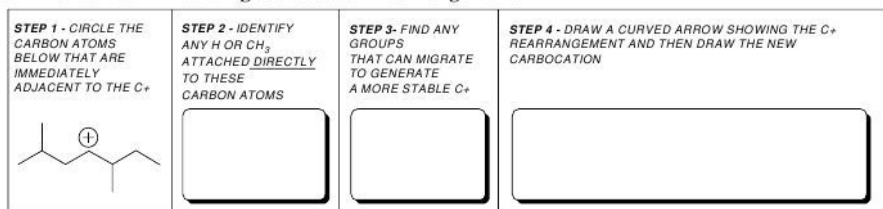
## SkillBuilder 6.4 Identifying a Sequence of Arrow Pushing Patterns



## SkillBuilder 6.5 Drawing Curved Arrows



## SkillBuilder 6.6 Predicting Carbocation Rearrangements



## Solutions

### 6.1.

a)

<u>Bonds Broken</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>	<u>Bonds Formed</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
H—CH(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub>	+ 397	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>2</sub> CH—Br	– 285
Br—Br	+ 192	H—Br	– 368

Sum = – 64 kJ/mol.

$\Delta H^\circ$  for this reaction is negative, which means that the system is losing energy. It is giving off energy to the environment, so the reaction is exothermic.

b)

<u>Bonds Broken</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>	<u>Bonds Formed</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> C—Cl	+ 331	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> C—OH	– 381
H—OH	+ 498	H—Cl	– 431

Sum = + 17 kJ/mol.

$\Delta H^\circ$  for this reaction is positive, which means that the system is gaining energy. It is receiving energy from the environment, so the reaction is endothermic.

c)

<u>Bonds Broken</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>	<u>Bonds Formed</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> C—Br	+ 272	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> C—OH	– 381
H—OH	+ 498	H—Br	– 368

Sum = + 21 kJ/mol.

$\Delta H^\circ$  for this reaction is positive, which means that the system is gaining energy. It is receiving energy from the environment, so the reaction is endothermic.

d)

<u>Bonds Broken</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>	<u>Bonds Formed</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> C—I	+ 209	(CH <sub>3</sub> ) <sub>3</sub> C—OH	– 381
H—OH	+ 498	H—I	– 297

Sum = + 29 kJ/mol.

$\Delta H^\circ$  for this reaction is positive, which means that the system is gaining energy. It is receiving energy from the environment, so the reaction is endothermic.

## 6.2.

The C-C bond of  $\text{CH}_3\text{—CH}_3$  has a bond dissociation energy of  $+368 \text{ kJ/mol}$ . If a C=C bond has a total bond dissociation energy of  $+632 \text{ kJ/mol}$ , then the pi component of the double bond can be estimated to be  $(632 \text{ kJ/mol}) - (368 \text{ kJ/mol}) = 264 \text{ kJ/mol}$ . In other words, the pi component of the C=C bond is not as strong as the sigma component of the C=C bond. In the reaction shown in this problem, the pi component of the C=C bond is broken but the sigma component remains intact. Accordingly, the calculation is as follows:

<u>Bonds Broken</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>	<u>Bonds Formed</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
C=C (just the pi component)	<b>+ 264</b>	$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{—OH}$	<b>– 381</b>
H—OH	<b>+ 498</b>	H— $\text{CH}_2\text{R}$	<b>~ – 410</b>

Sum =  $-29 \text{ kJ/mol}$ .

$\Delta H^\circ$  for this reaction is predicted to be negative, which means that the system is losing energy. It is giving off energy to the environment, so the reaction is exothermic.

## 6.3.

- $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be negative (a decrease in entropy) because two molecules are converted into one molecule.
- $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be negative (a decrease in entropy) because an acyclic compound is converted into a cyclic compound.
- $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be positive (an increase in entropy) because one molecule is converted into two molecules.
- $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be positive (an increase in entropy) because one molecule is converted into two ions.
- $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be negative (a decrease in entropy) because two chemical entities are converted into one.
- $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be positive (an increase in entropy) because a cyclic compound is converted into an acyclic compound.

## 6.4.

- There is a competition between the two terms contributing to  $\Delta G$ . In this case, the reaction is endothermic, which contributes to a positive value for  $\Delta G$ , but the second term contributes to a negative value for  $\Delta G$ :

$$\Delta G = \Delta H + (-T\Delta S)$$

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The sign of  $\Delta G$  will therefore depend on the competition between these two terms, which is affected by temperature. A high temperature will cause the second term to dominate, giving rise to a positive value of  $\Delta G$ . A low

temperature will render the second term insignificant, and the first term will dominate, giving rise to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ .

b) In this case, both terms contribute to a negative value for  $\Delta G$ , so  $\Delta G$  will definitely be negative (the process will be spontaneous).

c) In this case, both terms contribute to a positive value for  $\Delta G$ , so  $\Delta G$  will definitely be positive (the process will not be spontaneous).

d) There is a competition between the two terms contributing to  $\Delta G$ . In this case, the reaction is exothermic, which contributes to a negative value for  $\Delta G$ , but the second term contributes to a positive value for  $\Delta G$ :

$$\Delta G = \underbrace{\Delta H}_{\ominus} + \underbrace{(-T\Delta S)}_{\oplus}$$

The sign of  $\Delta G$  will therefore depend on the competition between these two terms, which is affected by temperature. A high temperature will cause the second term to dominate, giving rise to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ . A low temperature will render the second term insignificant, and the first term will dominate, giving rise to a positive value of  $\Delta G$ .

**6.5.** A system can only achieve a lower energy state by transferring energy to its surroundings (conservation of energy). This increases the entropy of the surroundings, which more than offsets the decrease in entropy of the system. As a result,  $\Delta S_{\text{tot}}$  increases.

**6.6.**

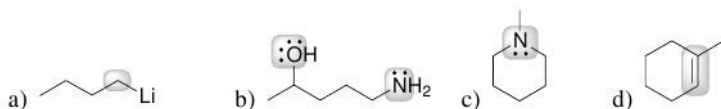
- a) A positive value of  $\Delta G$  favors reactants.
- b) A reaction for which  $K_{\text{eq}} < 1$  will favor reactants.
- c)  $\Delta G = \Delta H - T\Delta S = (33 \text{ kJ/mol}) - (298 \text{ K})(0.150 \text{ kJ/mol} \cdot \text{K}) = -11.7 \text{ kJ/mol}$   
A negative value of  $\Delta G$  favors products.
- d) Both terms contribute to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ , which favors products.
- e) Both terms contribute to a positive value of  $\Delta G$ , which favors reactants.

**6.7.**

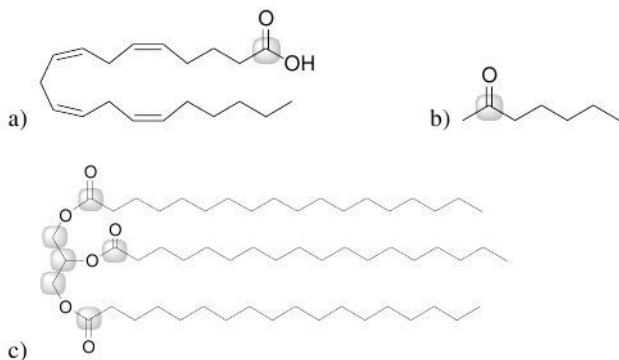
- a) Process D will occur more rapidly because it has a lower energy of activation than process A.
- b) Process A will more greatly favor products at equilibrium than process B, because the former is exergonic (the products are lower in energy than the reactants) while the latter is not exergonic.
- c) None of these processes exhibits an intermediate, because none of the energy diagrams has a local minimum (a valley). But all of the processes proceed via a transition state, because all of the energy diagrams have a local maximum (a peak).

- d) In process A, the transition state resembles the reactants more than products because the transition state is closer in energy to the reactant than the products (the Hammond postulate).
- e) Process A will occur more rapidly because it has a lower energy of activation than process B.
- f) Process D will more greatly favor products at equilibrium than process B, because the former is exergonic (the products are lower in energy than the reactants) while the latter is not exergonic.
- g) In process C, the transition state resembles the products more than reactants because the transition state is closer in energy to the products than the reactants (the Hammond postulate).

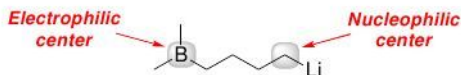
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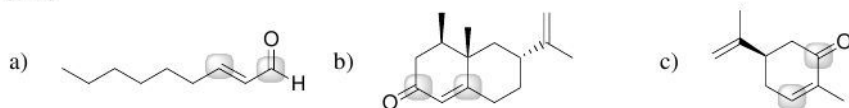
## 6.9.



## 6.10.



## 6.11.



## 6.12.

- a) loss of a leaving group  
b) proton transfer  
c) rearrangement

- d) nucleophilic attack
- e) proton transfer
- f) nucleophilic attack
- g) rearrangement
- h) loss of a leaving group
- i) nucleophilic attack

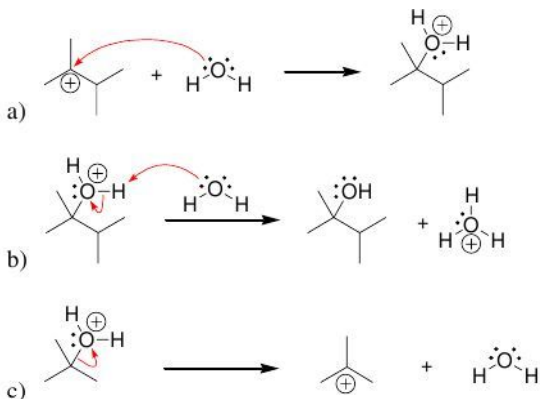
**6.13.** The pi bond functions as a nucleophile and attacks the electrophilic carbocation. This step is therefore a nucleophilic attack.

**6.14.**

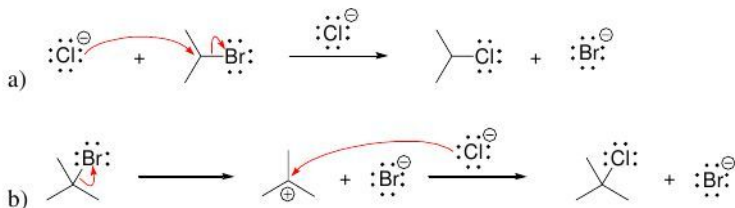
- a) proton transfer; nucleophilic attack; proton transfer
- b) nucleophilic attack; proton transfer; proton transfer
- c) proton transfer; nucleophilic attack; loss of a leaving group
- d) proton transfer; loss of a leaving group; nucleophilic attack; proton transfer
- e) proton transfer; nucleophilic attack; proton transfer

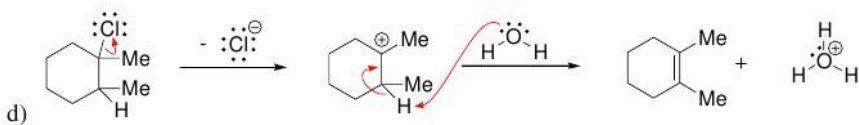
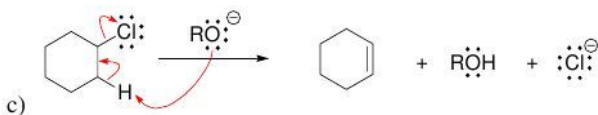
**6.15.** Both reactions have the same sequence: 1) nucleophilic attack, followed by 2) loss of a leaving group. In both cases, a hydroxide ion functions as a nucleophile and attacks a compound that can accept the negative charge and store it temporarily. The charge is then expelled as a chloride ion in both cases.

**6.16.**

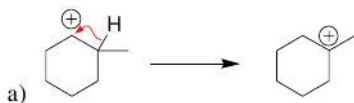


**6.17.**

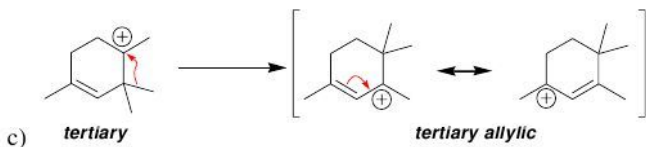




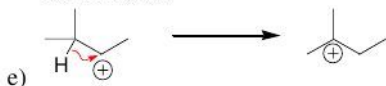
6.18.



b) This carbocation is tertiary and will not rearrange

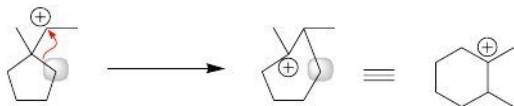


d) This carbocation is secondary, but it cannot rearrange to form a tertiary carbocation.



h) This carbocation is tertiary and it is resonance stabilized (we will see in Chapter 7 that this carbocation is called a benzylic carbocation). It will not rearrange.

6.19.





6.20.

a) a carbon-carbon triple bond is comprised of one sigma bond and two pi bonds, and is therefore stronger than a carbon-carbon double bond (one sigma and one pi bond) or a carbon-carbon single bond (only one sigma bond).

b) Using the data in Table 6.1, the C-F will have the largest bond dissociation energy.

6.21.

a)

<u>Bonds Broken</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>	<u>Bonds Formed</u>	<u>kJ/mol</u>
$\text{RCH}_2\text{—Br}$	+ 285	$\text{RCH}_2\text{—OR}$	– 381
$\text{RCH}_2\text{O—H}$	+ 435	$\text{H—Br}$	– 368

Sum = – 29 kJ/mol.

$\Delta H^\circ$  for this reaction is negative, which means that the system is losing energy. It is giving off energy to the environment, so the reaction is exothermic.

b)  $\Delta S$  of this reaction is positive because one mole of reactant is converted into two moles of product.

c) Both terms ( $\Delta H$ ) and ( $-T\Delta S$ ) contribute to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ .

d) No.

e) Yes.

6.22.

a) A reaction for which  $K_{\text{eq}} > 1$  will favor products.

b) A reaction for which  $K_{\text{eq}} < 1$  will favor reactants.

c) A positive value of  $\Delta G$  favors reactants.

d) Both terms contribute to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ , which favors products.

e) Both terms contribute to a positive value of  $\Delta G$ , which favors reactants.

6.23.  $K_{\text{eq}} = 1$  when  $\Delta G = 0$  kJ/mol (See Table 6.2).

6.24.  $K_{\text{eq}} < 1$  when  $\Delta G$  has a positive value. The answer is therefore “a” (+1 kJ/mol)

6.25.

a)  $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be negative (a decrease in entropy) because two moles of reactant are converted into one mole of product.

b)  $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be positive (an increase in entropy) because one mole of reactant is converted into two moles of product.

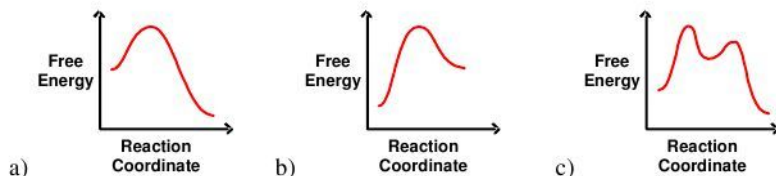


c)  $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be approximately zero, because two moles of reactant are converted into two moles of product.

d)  $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be negative (a decrease in entropy) because an acyclic compound is converted into a cyclic compound.

e)  $\Delta S_{\text{sys}}$  is expected to be approximately zero, because one mole of reactant is converted into one mole of product, and both the reactant and the product are acyclic.

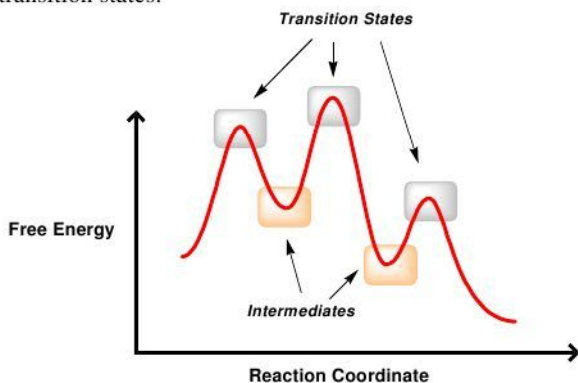
6.26.



6.27.

- a) B and D
- b) A and C
- c) C
- d) A
- e) D
- f) D
- g) A and B
- h) C

6.28. All local minima (valleys) represent intermediates, while all local maxima (peaks) represent transition states:



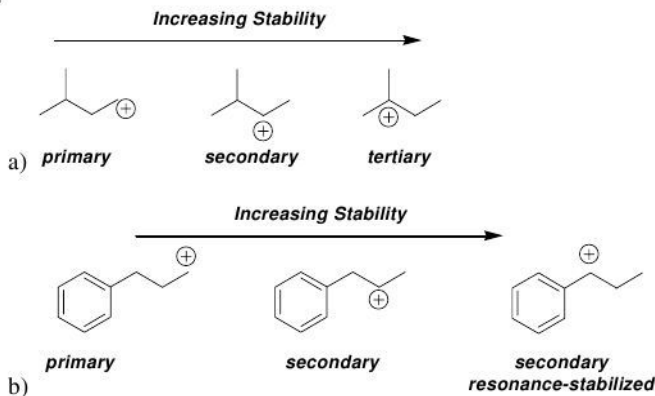
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- a)  $\text{Rate} = k[\text{nucleophile}][\text{substrate}]$ .  
 b) The rate will be tripled, because the rate is linearly dependent on the concentration of the nucleophile.  
 c) The rate will be tripled, because the rate is linearly dependent on the concentration of the substrate.  
 d) As a rule of thumb, the rate doubles for every increase of  $10^\circ\text{C}$ . Therefore an increase of  $40^\circ\text{C}$  will correspond to increase in rate of approximately 16-fold ( $2 \times 2 \times 2 \times 2$ )

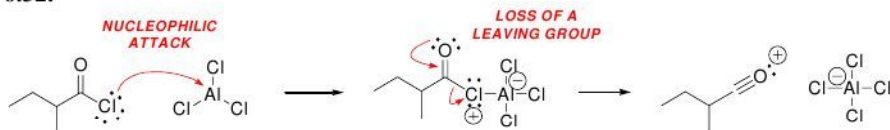
6.30.

- a) loss of a leaving group  
 b) carbocation rearrangement  
 c) nucleophilic attack  
 d) proton transfer

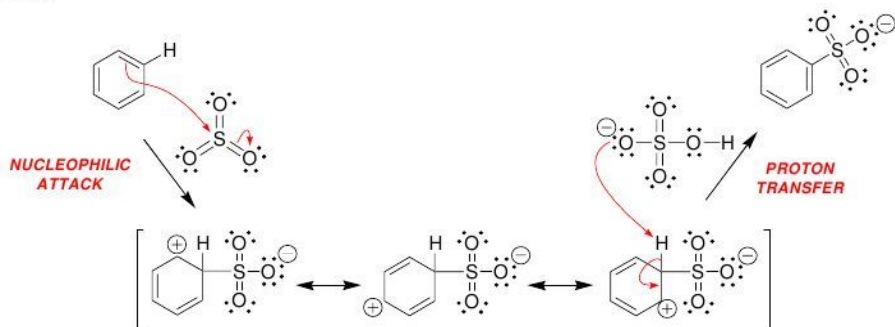
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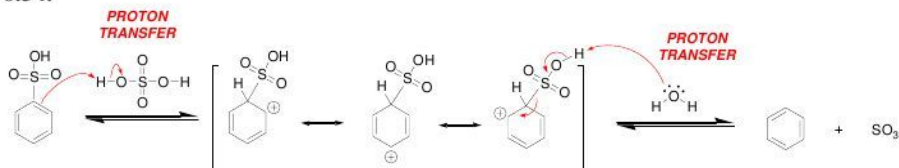
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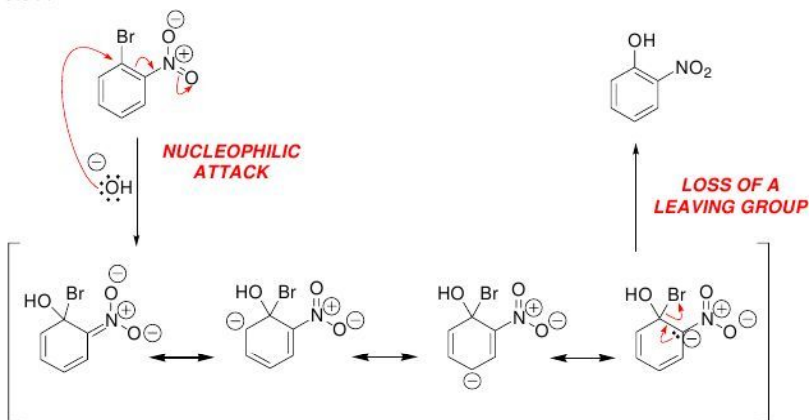
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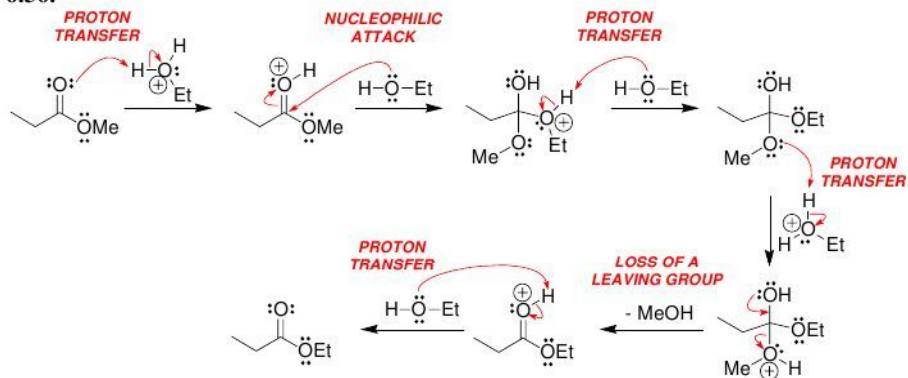
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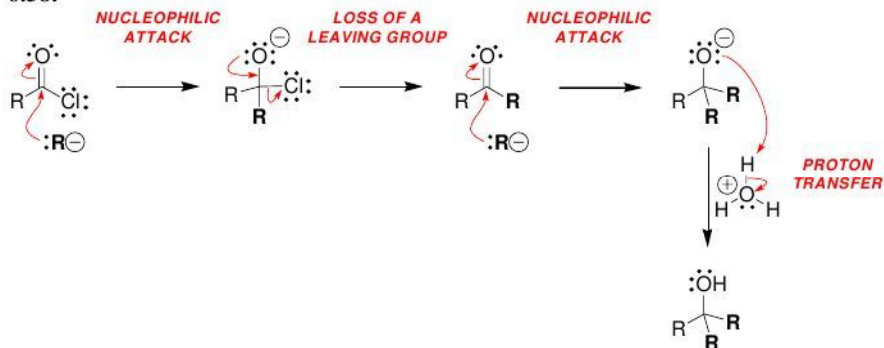
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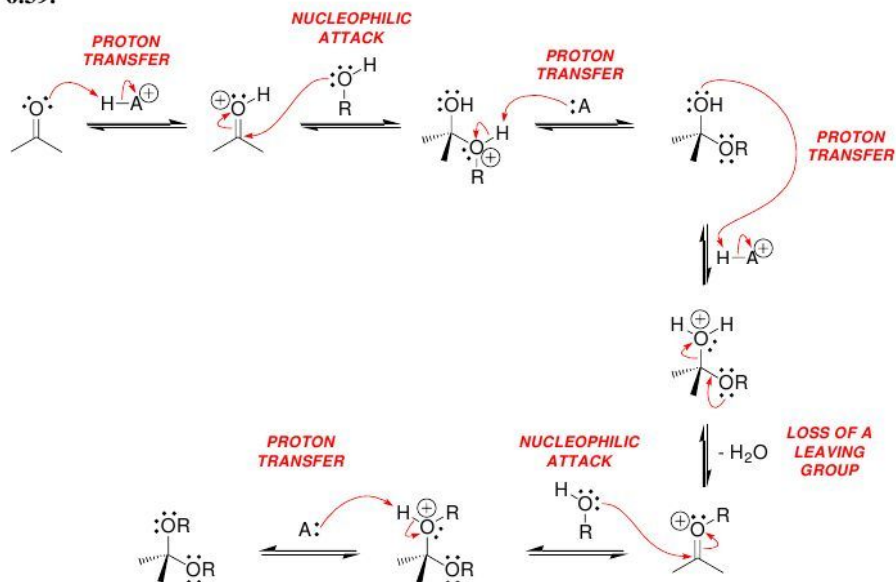
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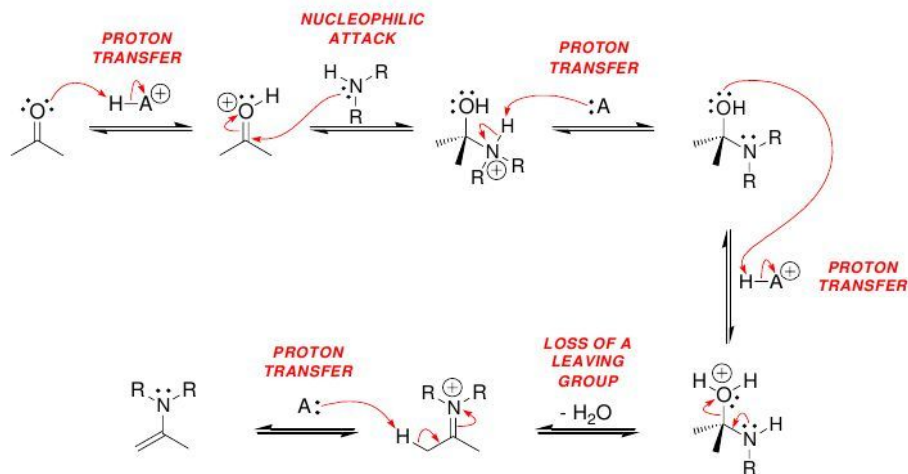
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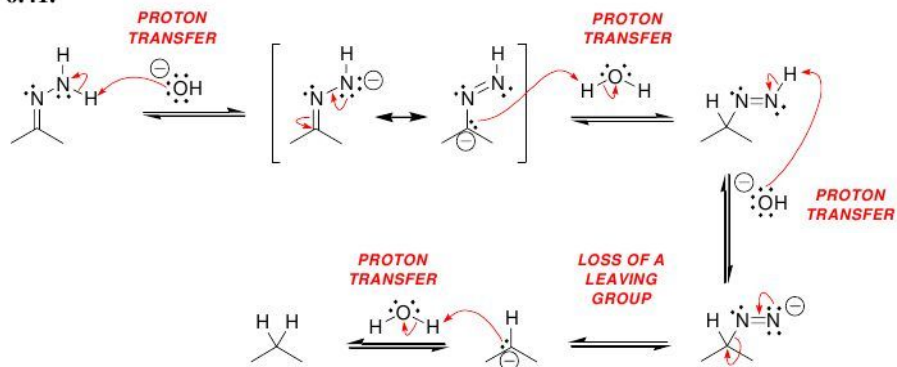
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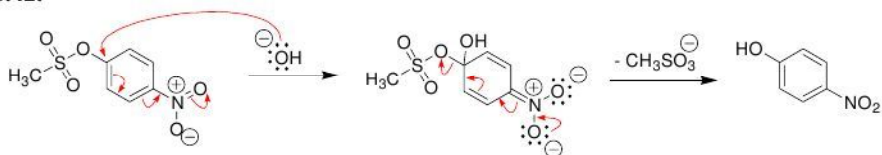
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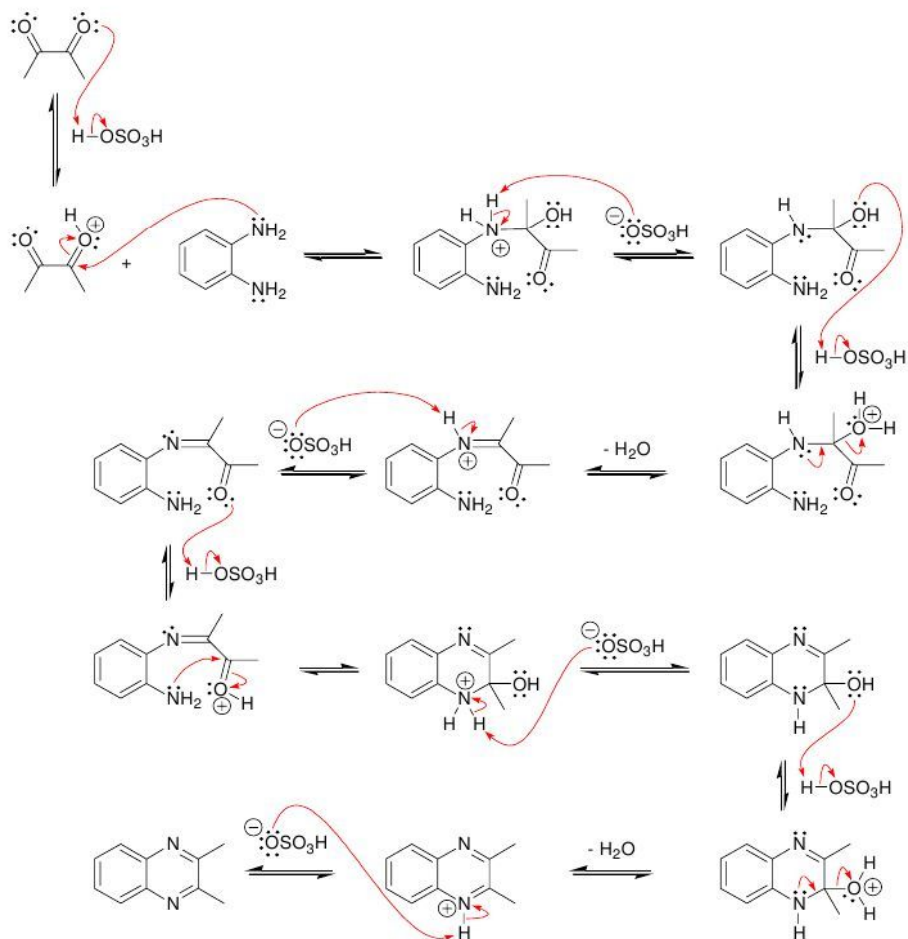
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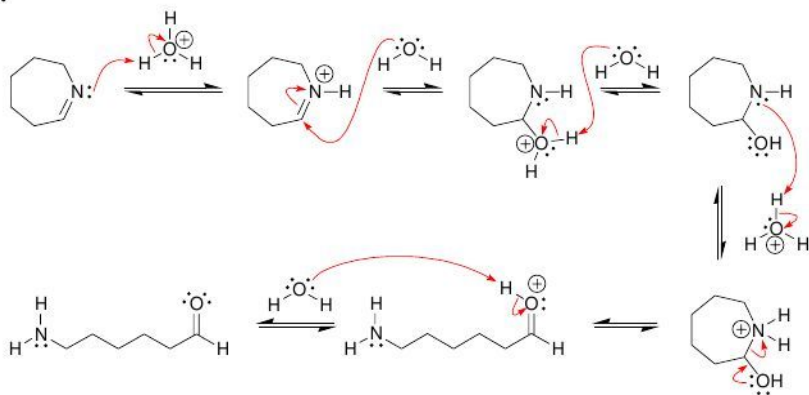
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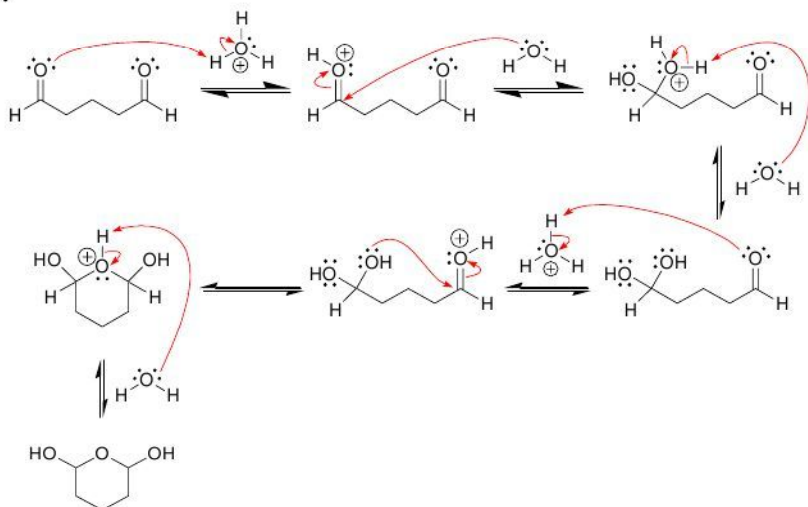
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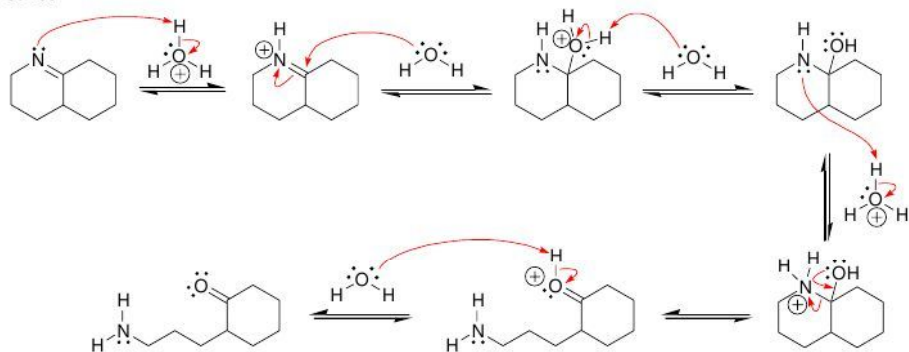


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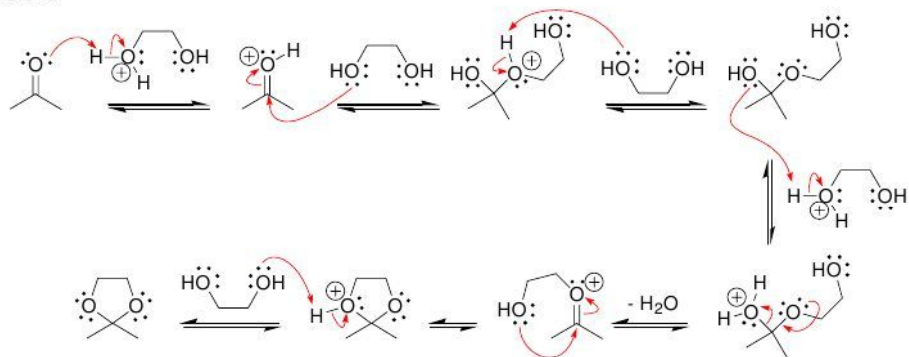




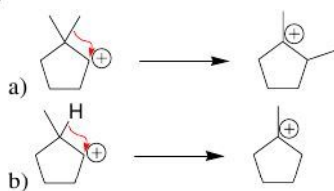
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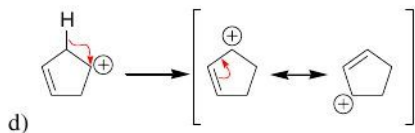
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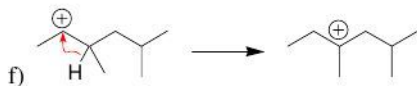
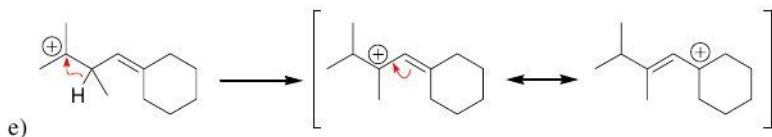


6.48.



c) This carbocation is secondary, but it cannot rearrange to generate a tertiary carbocation.





g) This carbocation is tertiary and will not rearrange.

### 6.49.

a)



b) Nucleophilic attack and loss of a leaving group.

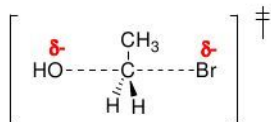
c) A  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{—Br}$  is broken, and a  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{—OH}$  is formed. Using the data in Table 6.1,  $\Delta H$  for this reaction is expected to be approximately  $(285 \text{ kJ/mol}) - (381 \text{ kJ/mol})$ . The sign of  $\Delta H$  is therefore predicted to be negative, which means that the reaction should be exothermic.

d) Two chemical entities are converted into two chemical entities. Both the reactants and products are acyclic. Therefore,  $\Delta S$  for this process is expected to be approximately zero.

e)  $\Delta G$  has two components:  $(\Delta H)$  and  $(-T\Delta S)$ . Based on the answers to the previous questions, the first term has a negative value and the second term is insignificant. Therefore,  $\Delta G$  is expected to have a negative value. This is confirmed by the energy diagram, which shows the products having lower free energy than the reactants.

f) The position of equilibrium is dependent on the sign and value of  $\Delta G$ . As mentioned in part e,  $\Delta G$  is comprised of two terms. The effect of temperature appears in the second term  $(-T\Delta S)$ , which is insignificant because  $\Delta S$  is approximately zero. Therefore, an increase (or decrease) in temperature is not expected to have a significant impact on the position of equilibrium.

g) This transition state corresponds with the peak of the curve, and has the following structure:



h) The transition state in this case is closer in energy to the reactants than the products, and therefore, it is closer in structure to the reactants than the products (the Hammond postulate).

i) The reaction is second order.

- j) According to the rate equation, the rate is linearly dependent on the concentration of hydroxide. Therefore, the rate will be doubled if the concentration of hydroxide is doubled.
- k) Yes, the rate will increase with increasing temperature.

**6.50.**

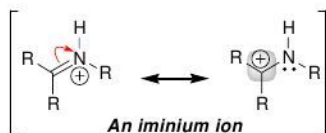
- a)  $K_{eq}$  does not affect the rate of the reaction. It only affects the equilibrium concentrations.
- b)  $\Delta G$  does not affect the rate of the reaction. It only affects the equilibrium concentrations.
- c) Temperature does affect the rate of the reaction, by increasing the number of collisions that result in a reaction.
- d)  $\Delta H$  does not affect the rate of the reaction. It only affects the equilibrium concentrations.
- e)  $E_a$  greatly affects the rate of the reaction. Lowering the  $E_a$  will increase the rate of reaction.
- f)  $\Delta S$  does not affect the rate of the reaction. It only affects the equilibrium concentrations.

**6.51.** In order to determine if reactants or products are favored at high temperature, we must consider the effect of temperature on the sign of  $\Delta G$ . Recall that  $\Delta G$  has two components:  $(\Delta H)$  and  $(-T\Delta S)$ . The reaction is exothermic, so the first term  $(\Delta H)$  has a negative value, which contributes to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ . This favors products. At low temperature, the second term will be insignificant and the first term will dominate. Therefore, the process will be thermodynamically favorable, and the reaction will favor the formation of products. However, at high temperature, the second term becomes more significant. In this case, two moles of reactants are converted into one mole of product. Therefore,  $\Delta S$  for this process is negative, which means that  $(-T\Delta S)$  is positive. At high enough temperature, the second term  $(-T\Delta S)$  should dominate over the first term  $(\Delta H)$ , generating a positive value for  $\Delta G$ . Therefore, the reaction will favor reactants at high temperature.

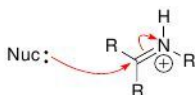
**6.52.** Recall that  $\Delta G$  has two components:  $(\Delta H)$  and  $(-T\Delta S)$ . We must analyze each term separately. The first term is expected to have a negative value, because three pi bonds are being converted into one pi bond and two sigma bonds. A sigma bond is stronger (lower in energy) than the pi component of a double bond (see problems 6.2 and 6.20). Therefore, reaction is expected to release energy to the environment, which means the reaction should be exothermic. In other words, the first term  $(\Delta H)$  has a negative value, which contributes to a negative value of  $\Delta G$ . This favors products. Now let's consider the second term  $(-T\Delta S)$  contributing to  $\Delta G$ . In this case, two moles of reactants are converted into one mole of product. Therefore,  $\Delta S$  for this process is negative, which means that  $(-T\Delta S)$  is positive. At low temperature, the second term will be insignificant and the first term will dominate. Therefore, the process will be thermodynamically favorable, and the reaction will favor the formation of products. However, at high temperature, the

second term becomes more significant. At high enough temperature, the second term ( $-T\Delta S$ ) should dominate over the first term ( $\Delta H$ ), generating a positive value for  $\Delta G$ . Therefore, the reaction will favor reactants at high temperature.

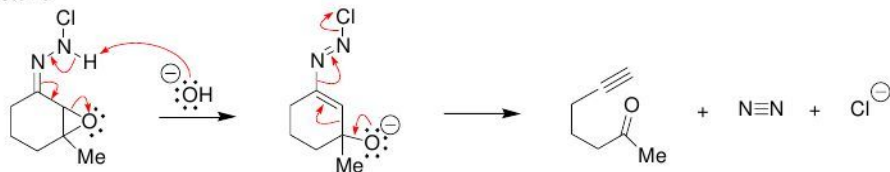
- 6.53.** The nitrogen atom of an ammonium ion is positively charged, but that does not render it electrophilic. In order to be electrophilic, it must have an empty orbital that can be attacked by a nucleophile. The nitrogen atom in this case does not have an empty orbital, because nitrogen is a second row element and therefore only has four orbitals with which to form bonds. All four orbitals are being used for bonding, leaving none of the orbitals vacant. As a result, the nitrogen atom is not electrophilic, despite the fact that it is positively charged. In contrast, an iminium ion is resonance stabilized:



The second resonance structure exhibits a positive charge on a carbon atom, which serves as an electrophilic center (a carbocation is an empty p orbital). Therefore, an iminium ion is an electrophile and is subject to attack by a nucleophile:



**6.54.**



# Chapter 7

## Substitution Reactions

### Review of Concepts

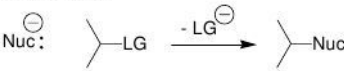

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 7. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- Substitution reactions exchange one \_\_\_\_\_ for another.
- Evidence for the concerted mechanism, called  $S_N2$ , includes the observation of a \_\_\_\_\_-order rate equation. The reaction proceeds with \_\_\_\_\_ of configuration.
- $S_N2$  reactions are said to be \_\_\_\_\_ because the configuration of the product is determined by the configuration of the substrate.
- Evidence for the stepwise mechanism, called  $S_N1$ , includes the observation of a \_\_\_\_\_-order rate equation.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ step of an  $S_N1$  process is the **rate-determining step**.
- An  $S_N1$  reaction is a stepwise process with a **first-order** rate equation.
- There are four factors that impact the competition between the  $S_N2$  mechanism and  $S_N1$ : 1) the \_\_\_\_\_, 2) the \_\_\_\_\_, 3) the \_\_\_\_\_, and 4) the \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ solvents favor  $S_N2$ .

### Review of Skills

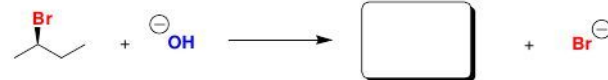
Follow the instructions below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 7. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

#### SkillBuilder 7.1 Drawing the Curved Arrows of a Substitution Reaction

<p><b>A CONCERTED MECHANISM</b> DRAW CURVED ARROWS, SHOWING NUCLEOPHILIC ATTACK ACCOMPANIED BY SIMULTANEOUS LOSS OF A LEAVING GROUP</p> 	<p><b>A STEPWISE MECHANISM</b> DRAW A CURVED ARROW SHOWING THE LOSS OF THE LEAVING GROUP TO FORM A CARBOCATION INTERMEDIATE, FOLLOWED BY ANOTHER CURVED ARROW SHOWING THE NUCLEOPHILIC ATTACK</p> 
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#### SkillBuilder 7.2 Drawing the Product of an $S_N2$ Process

DRAW THE MAJOR PRODUCT OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION



**SkillBuilder 7.3 Drawing the Transition State of an S<sub>N</sub>2 Process**

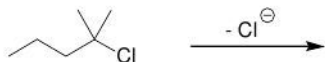
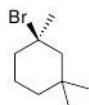
DRAW THE TRANSITION STATE OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION



TRANSITION STATE

**SkillBuilder 7.4 Drawing the Carbocation Intermediate of an S<sub>N</sub>1 Process**

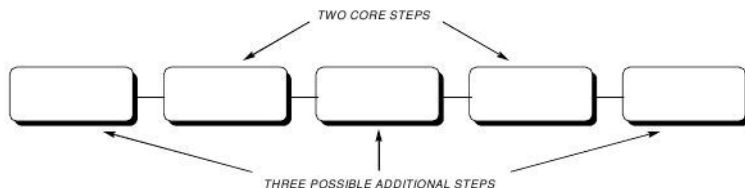
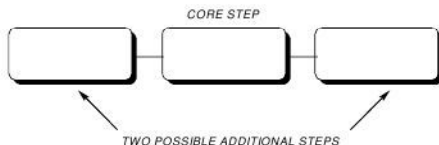
DRAW THE CARBOCATION THAT WOULD BE FORMED IF A CHLORIDE ION IS EXPELLED FROM THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

**SkillBuilder 7.5 Drawing the Products of an S<sub>N</sub>1 Process**PREDICT THE PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING S<sub>N</sub>1 REACTION

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**SkillBuilder 7.6 Drawing the Complete Mechanism of an S<sub>N</sub>1 Process**IDENTIFY THE TWO CORE STEPS AND THREE POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL STEPS OF AN S<sub>N</sub>1 PROCESS**SkillBuilder 7.7 Drawing the Complete Mechanism of an S<sub>N</sub>2 Process**IDENTIFY THE ONE CORE STEP (CONCERTED) AND TWO POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL STEPS OF AN S<sub>N</sub>2 PROCESS

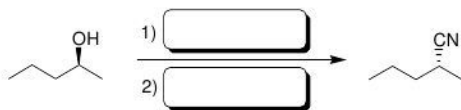
### SkillBuilder 7.8 Determining whether a Reaction Proceeds via an $S_N1$ Mechanism or an $S_N2$ Mechanism

FILL IN THE TABLE BELOW, SHOWING THE FEATURES THAT FAVOR  $S_N2$  OR  $S_N1$  REACTIONS

	$S_N2$	$S_N1$
SUBSTRATE		
NUC		
LG		
SOLVENT		

### SkillBuilder 7.9 Identifying the Reagents Necessary for a Substitution Reaction

IDENTIFY THE REAGENTS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION

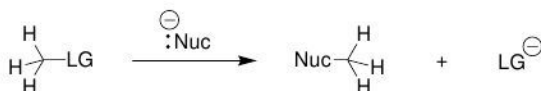


## Review of Reactions

Follow the instructions below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 7. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

### $S_N2$

DRAW THE CURVED ARROWS THAT SHOW THE FLOW OF ELECTRON DENSITY DURING THE FOLLOWING  $S_N2$  REACTION



### $S_N1$

DRAW THE CURVED ARROWS THAT SHOW THE FLOW OF ELECTRON DENSITY DURING THE FOLLOWING  $S_N1$  REACTION

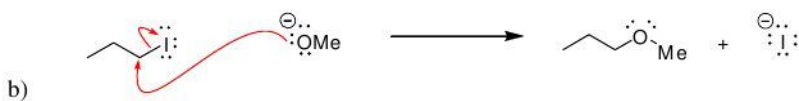
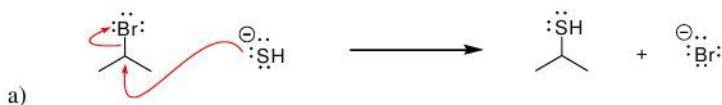


## Solutions

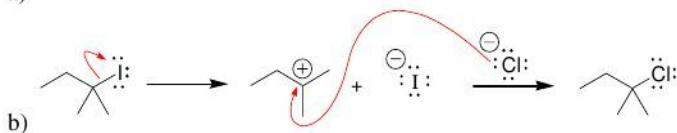
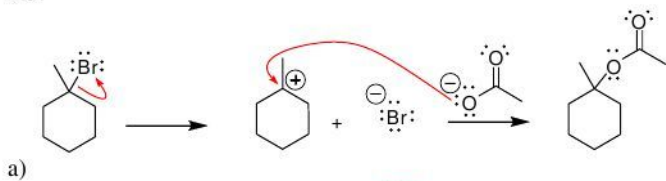
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- 4-chloro-4-ethylheptane
- 1-bromo-1-methylcyclohexane
- 4,4-dibromo-1-chloropentane
- (*S*)-5-fluoro-2,2-dimethylhexane

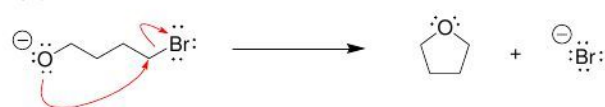
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### 7.3.

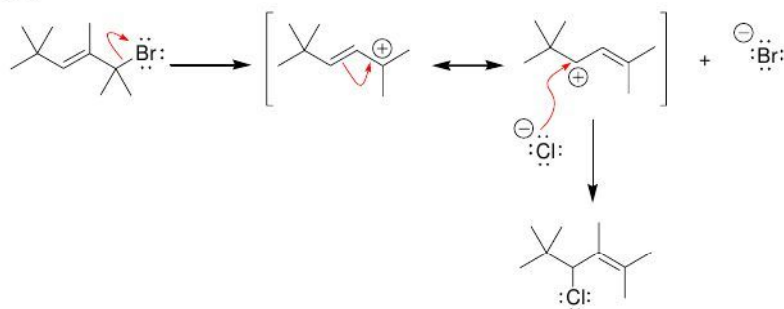


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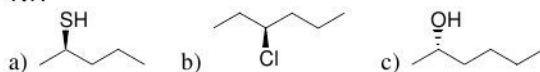
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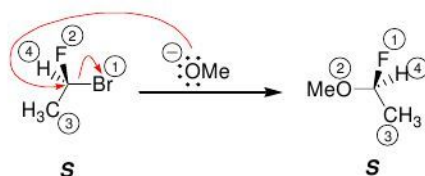
7.6.

- the rate of the reaction is tripled.
- the rate of the reaction is doubled.
- the rate of the reaction will be six times faster.

7.7.

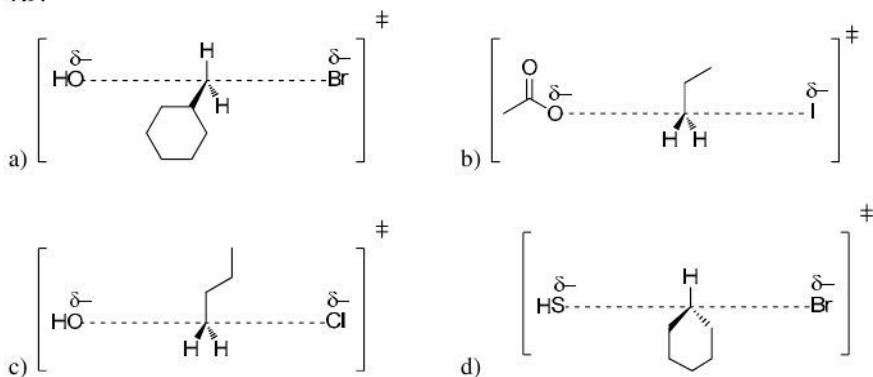


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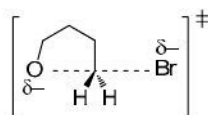


The reaction does proceed with inversion of configuration. However, the Cahn-Ingold-Prelog system for assigning a stereodescriptor (*R* or *S*) is based on a prioritization scheme. Specifically, the four groups connected to a chirality center are ranked (one through four). In the reactant (above left), the highest priority group is the leaving group (bromide) which is then replaced by a group that does not receive the highest priority. In the product, the fluorine atom has been promoted to the highest priority as a result of the reaction, and as such, the prioritization scheme has changed. In this way, the stereodescriptor (*S*) remains unchanged, despite the fact that chirality center undergoes inversion.

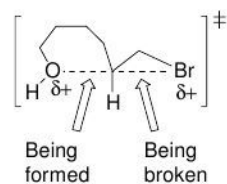
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7.10.

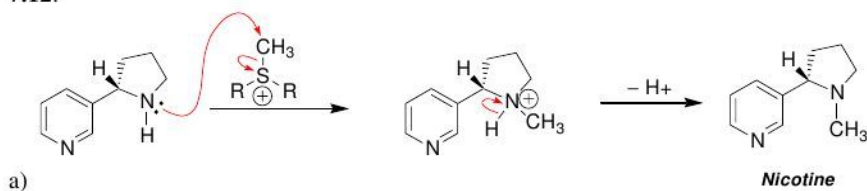


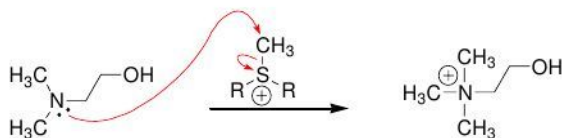
7.11.



This step is favorable (downhill in energy) because ring strain is alleviated when the three-membered ring is opened.

7.12.





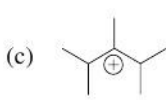
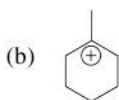
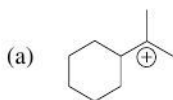
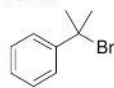
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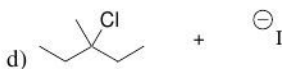
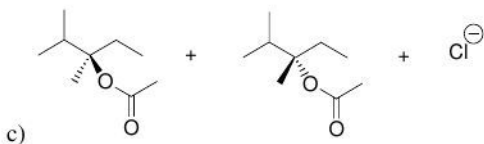
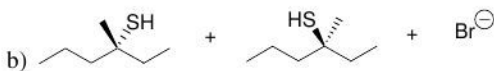
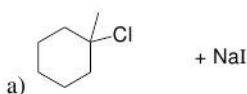
**7.13.** a) The rate of the reaction will be doubled, because the change in concentration of sodium chloride will not affect the rate.

b) The rate of the reaction will remain the same, because the change in concentration of sodium chloride will not affect the rate.

**7.14.** Draw the carbocation intermediate generated by each of the following substrates in an  $S_N1$  reaction:

**7.15.**

The first compound will generate a tertiary carbocation, while the second compound will generate a tertiary benzylic carbocation that is resonance stabilized. The second compound leads to a more stable carbocation, so that compound will lose its leaving group more rapidly than the first compound.

**7.16.**

7.17.



7.18.

- a) No   b) Yes   c) No   d) Yes   e) Yes   f) No

7.19.

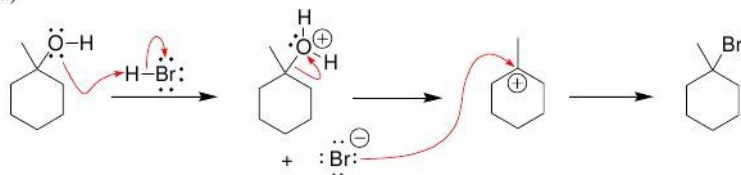
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7.20.

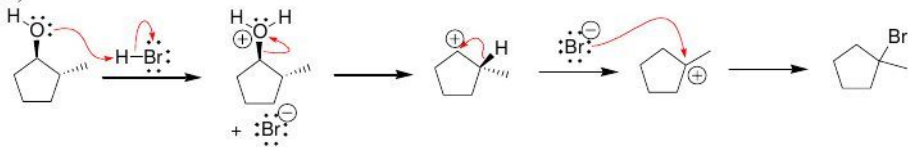
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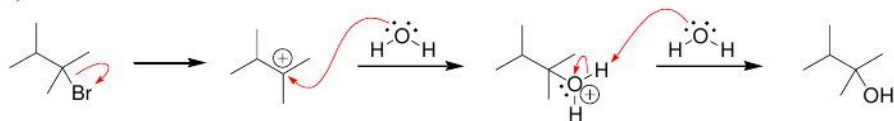
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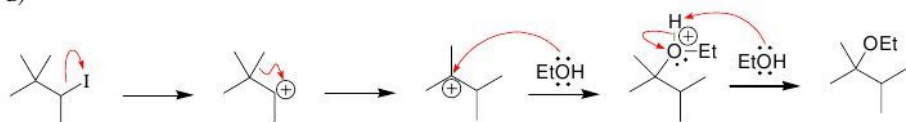
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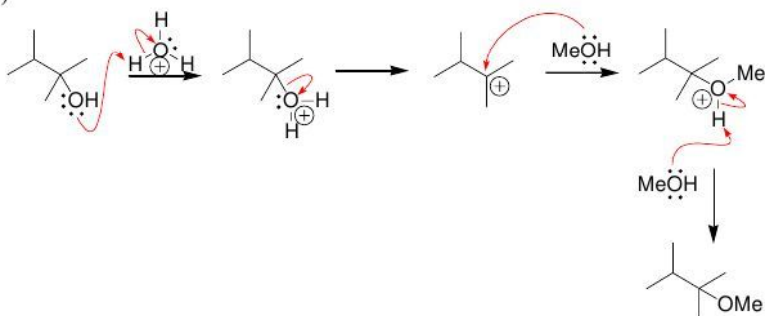
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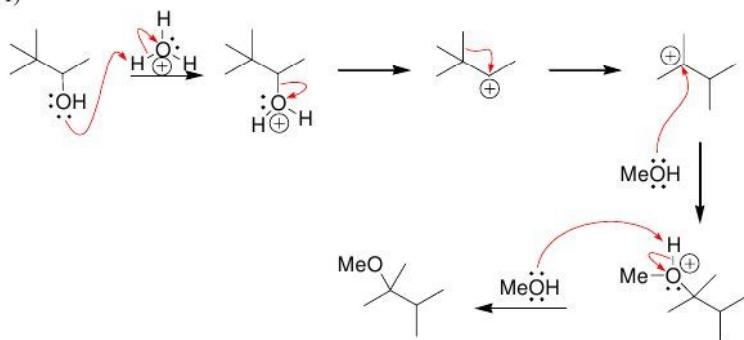
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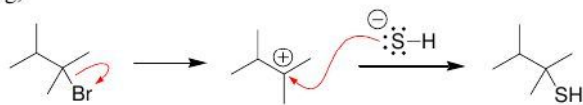
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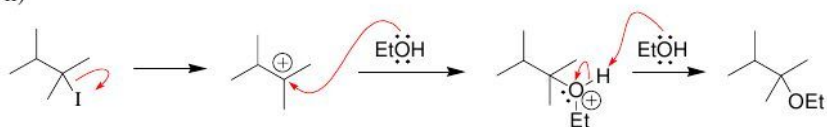
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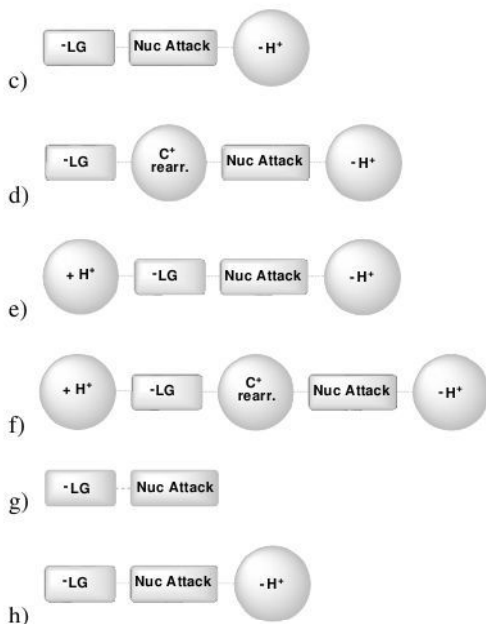
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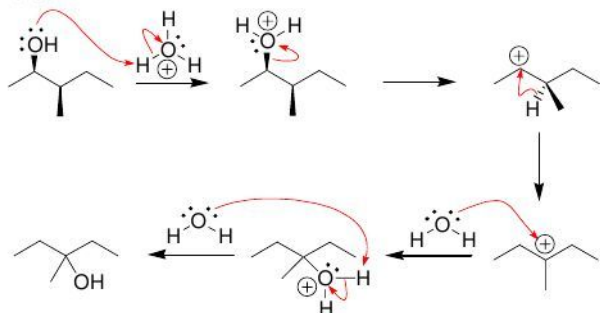


## 7.22.



Problem 7.20c and 7.20h exhibit the same pattern. Both problems are characterized by three mechanistic steps: 1) loss of a leaving group, 2) nucleophilic attack, and 3) proton transfer.

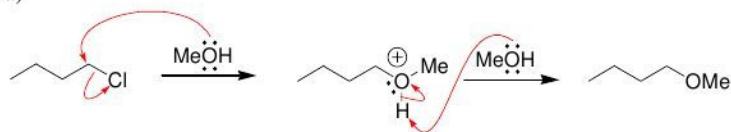
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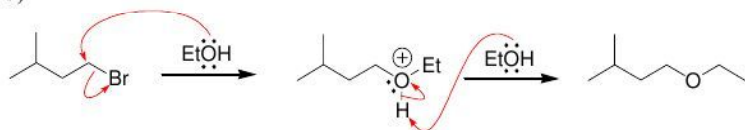
The chirality center at C2 is lost when the leaving group leaves to form a carbocation with trigonal planar geometry. The chirality center at C3 is lost during the hydride shift in the following step. Once again, the chirality center is converted into a trigonal planar  $sp^2$  hybridized center (which is no longer a chirality center).

## 7.24.

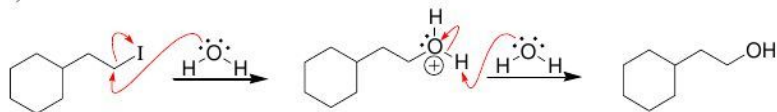
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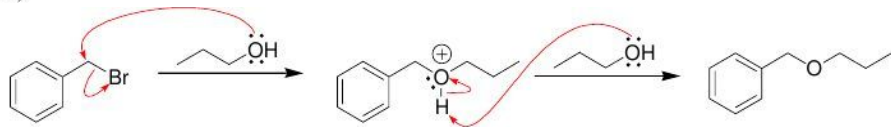
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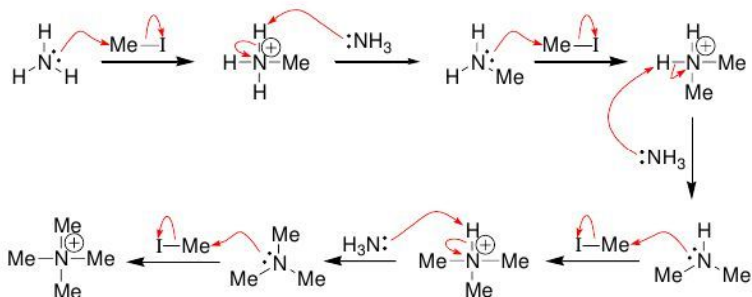
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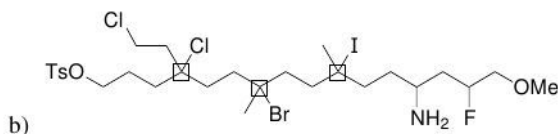
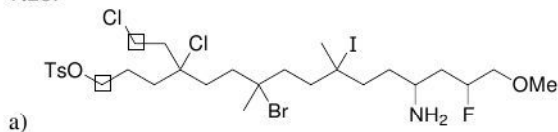
## 7.26.

- a)  $S_N1$     b)  $S_N2$     c) Neither    d)  $S_N1$   
 e) Both    f) Neither    g) Both

## 7.27.

- a)  $S_N1$     b)  $S_N2$     c)  $S_N2$     d)  $S_N2$     e)  $S_N2$

## 7.28.



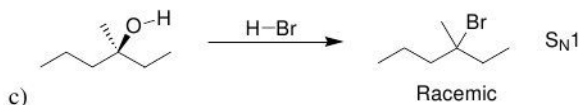
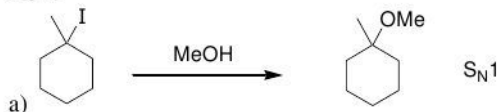
## 7.29.

- a)  $S_N1$     b)  $S_N2$     c)  $S_N1$     d)  $S_N2$   
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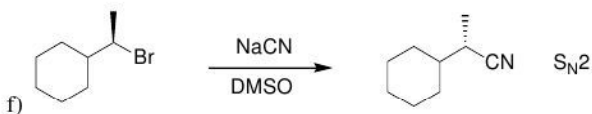
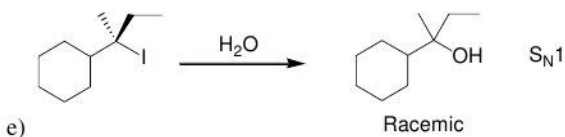
## 7.30.

Acetone is a polar aprotic solvent and will favor  $S_N2$  by raising the energy of the nucleophile, giving a smaller  $E_a$ .

## 7.31.



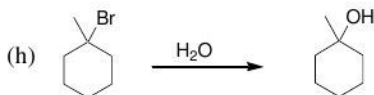
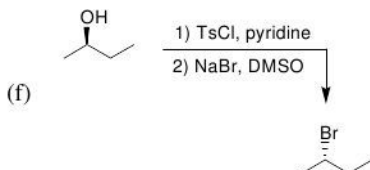
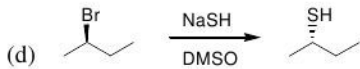
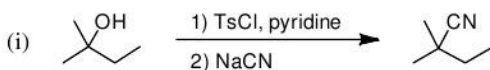
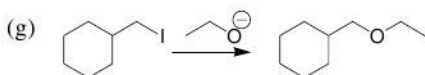
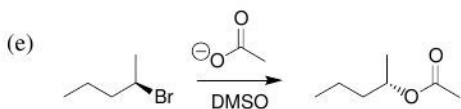
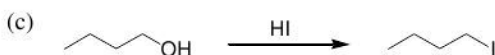
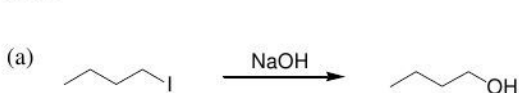




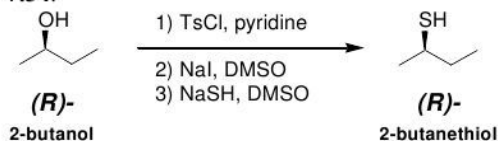
## 7.32.

No. Preparation of this amine via the Gabriel synthesis would require the use of a tertiary alkyl halide, which will not undergo an  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$  process.

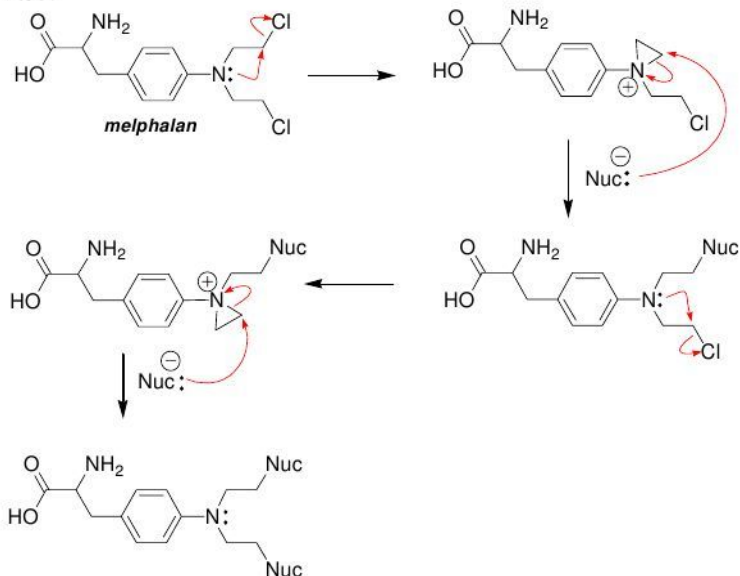
## 7.33.



## 7.34.



7.35.



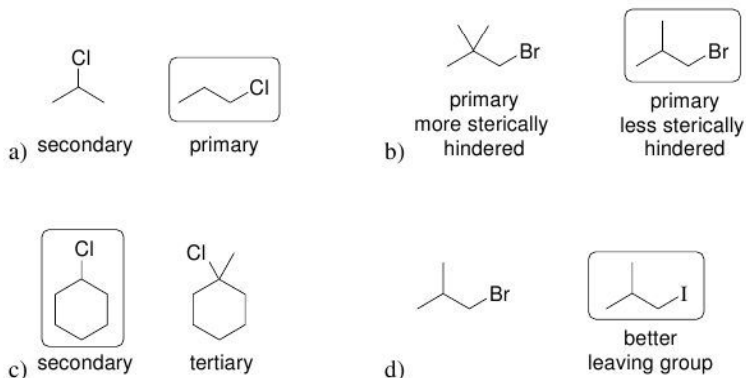
7.36.

- Systematic Name = 2-chloropropane  
Common Name = isopropyl chloride
- Systematic Name = 2-bromo-2-methylpropane  
Common Name = *tert*-butyl bromide
- Systematic Name = 1-iodopropane  
Common Name = propyl iodide
- Systematic Name = 2-chlorobutane  
Common Name = propyl iodide
- Systematic Name = (*R*)-2-bromobutane  
Common Name = (*R*)-*sec*-butyl bromide
- Systematic Name = 1-chloro-2,2-dimethylpropane  
Common Name = neopentyl chloride
- Systematic Name = chlorocyclohexane  
Common Name = cyclohexyl chloride

7.37.

Increasing reactivity ( $S_N2$ )

7.38.



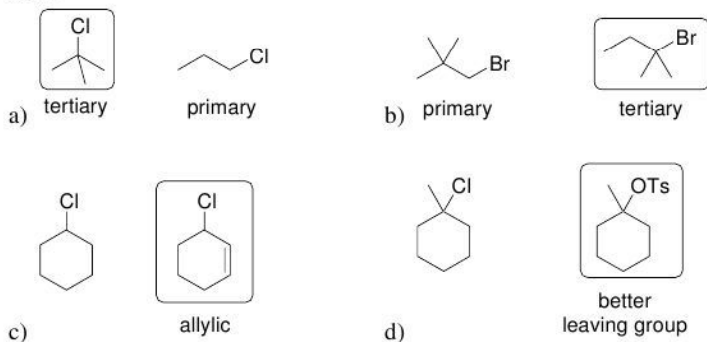
7.39.

No. Preparation of this compound via the process above would require the use of a tertiary alkyl halide, which will not undergo an  $S_N2$  process.

7.40.

- a) NaSH  
b) sodium hydroxide  
c) methoxide dissolved in DMSO

7.41.

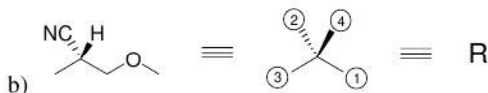
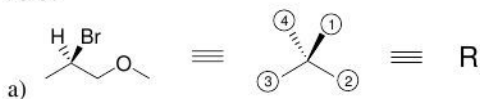


- 7.42. a) The rate of the reaction is doubled.  
b) The rate of the reaction is doubled.

- 7.43. a) The rate of the reaction is doubled  
b) The rate of the reaction will remain the same.

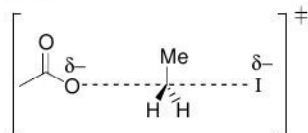
- 7.44. a) aprotic  
b) protic  
c) aprotic  
d) protic  
e) protic

7.45.



c) The reaction is an  $S_N2$  process, and it does proceed with inversion of configuration. However, the prioritization scheme changes when bromide (#1) is replaced with a cyano group (#2). As a result, the Cahn-Ingold-Prelog system assigns the same configuration to the reactant and the product.

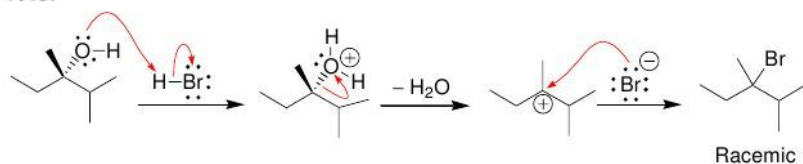
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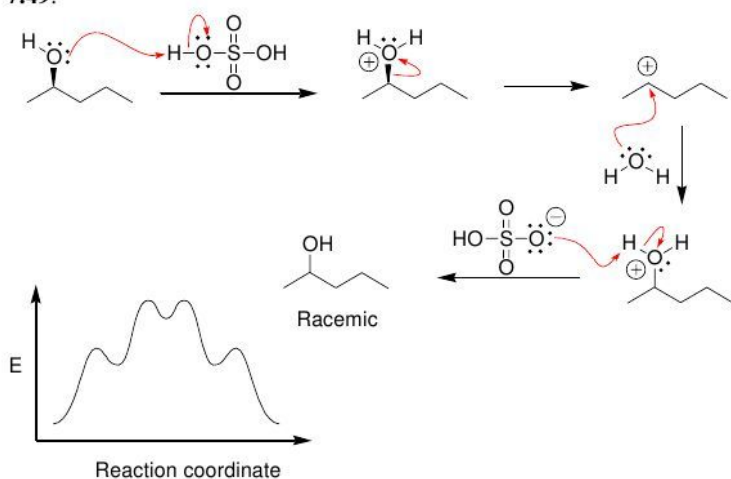
Iodide functions as a nucleophile and attacks (*S*)-2-iodopentane, displacing iodide as a leaving group. The reaction is an  $S_N2$  process, and therefore proceeds via inversion of configuration. The product is (*R*)-2-iodopentane. The reaction continues until a racemic mixture is obtained.

7.48.

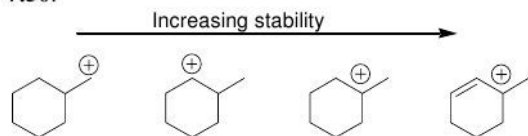


The chirality center is lost when the leaving group leaves to form a carbocation with trigonal planar geometry. The nucleophile can then attack either face of the planar carbocation, leading to a racemic mixture.

7.49.



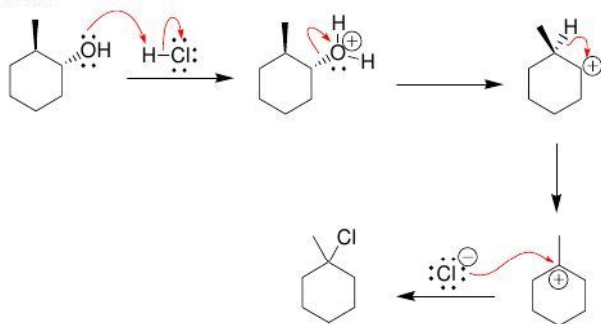
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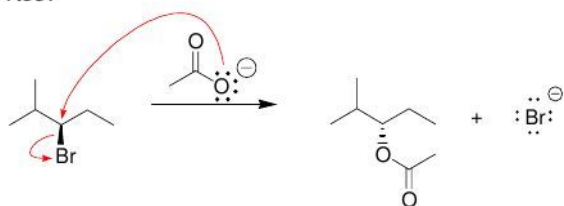
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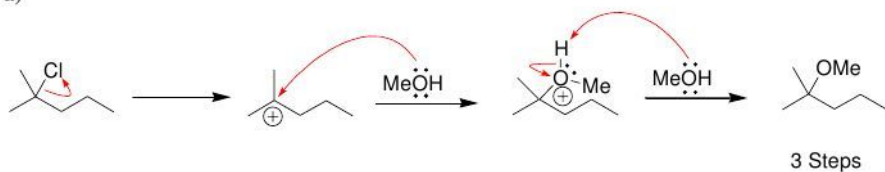


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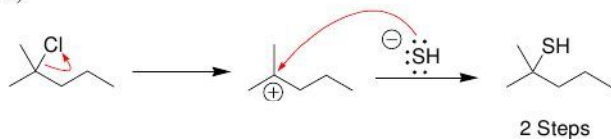


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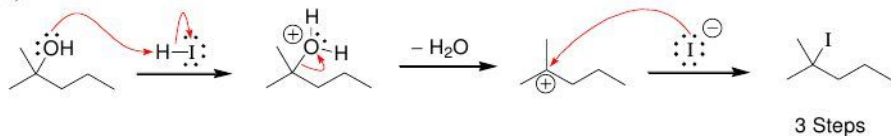
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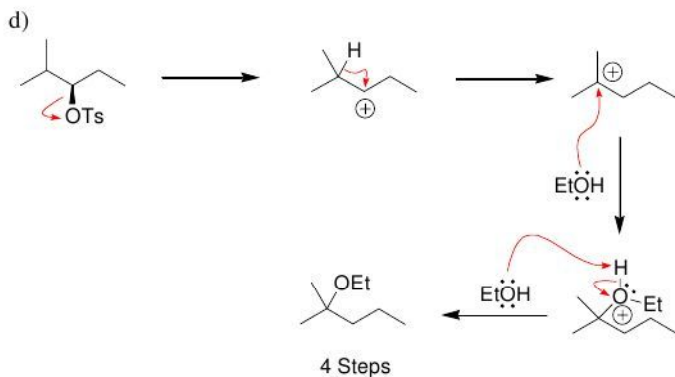


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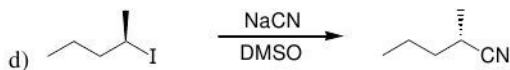
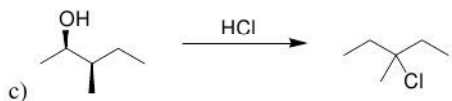
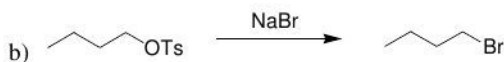
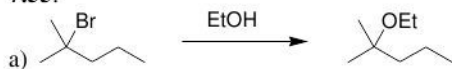


c)





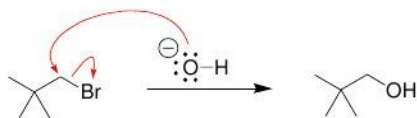
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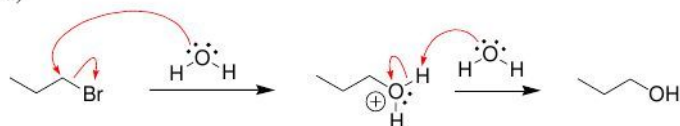
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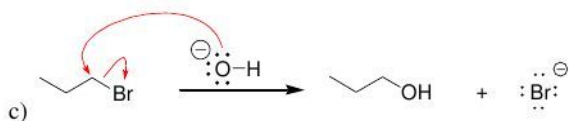
Although the substrate is primary, it is still sterically hindered. As a result,  $S_N2$  reactions at neopentyl halides do not occur at an appreciable rate.

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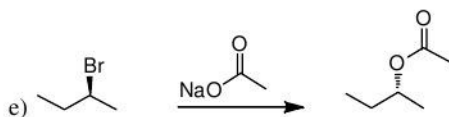
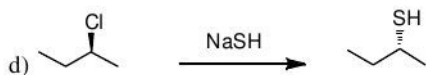
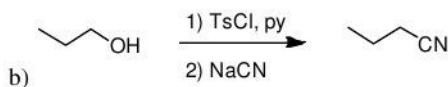
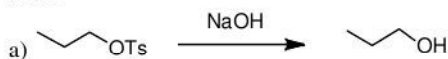


b) The substrate is primary, and therefore, the reaction must proceed via an  $S_N2$  process.  $S_N2$  reactions are highly sensitive to the strength of the nucleophile, and the nucleophile (water) is a weak nucleophile. As a result, the reaction occurs slowly.



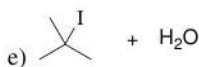
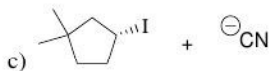
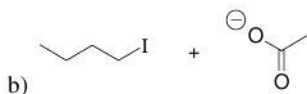
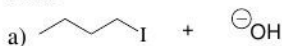
Hydroxide is a strong nucleophile, which favors the  $S_N2$  process.

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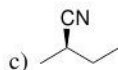
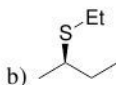
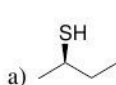




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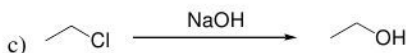
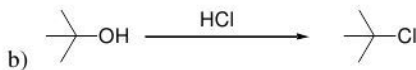
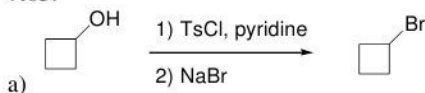
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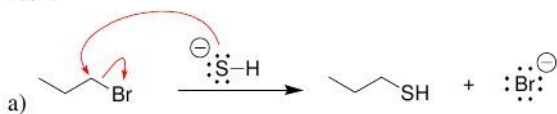
## 7.62.

The second method is more efficient because the alkyl halide (methyl iodide) is not sterically hindered. The first method is not efficient because it employs a tertiary alkyl halide, and  $S_N2$  reactions do not occur at tertiary substrates.

## 7.63.

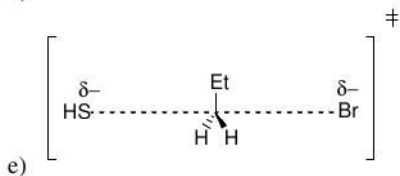
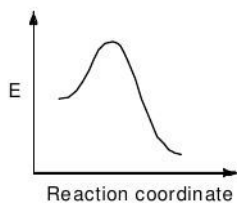


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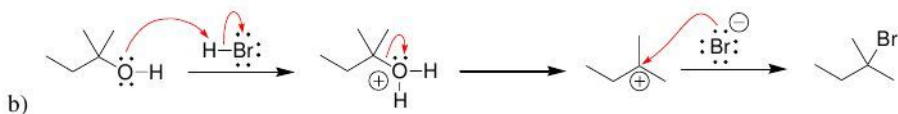
b)  $\text{Rate} = k [\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{Br}] [\text{NaSH}]$

c) The rate would be slower.



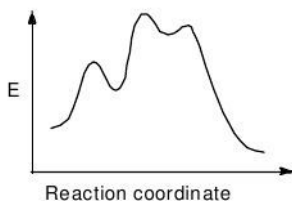
7.65.

a)  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}1$  (tertiary substrate)

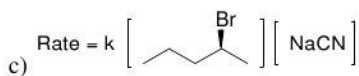
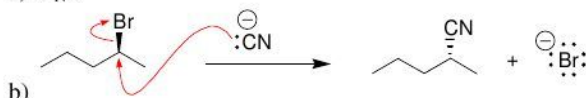


c)  $\text{Rate} = k [\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{OH})(\text{CH}_3)_2]$

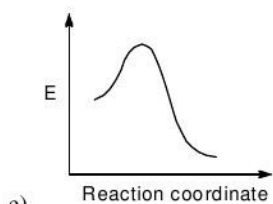
d) No. The rate is not dependent on the concentration or strength of the nucleophile.



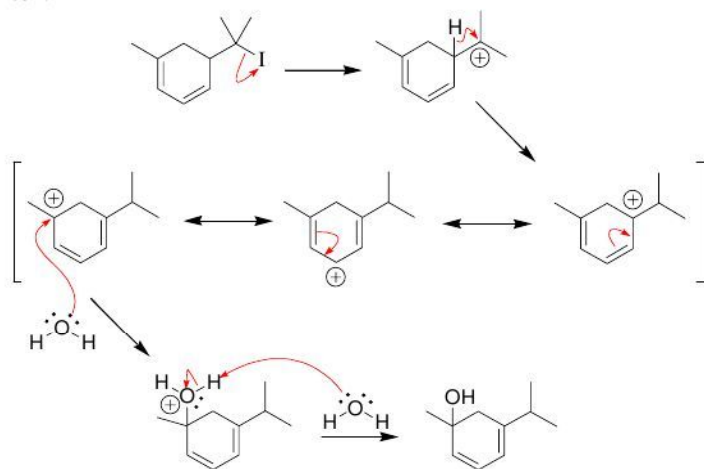
## 7.66.

a)  $S_N2$ 

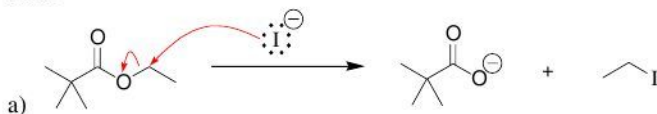
d) Yes. The reaction rate would double.



## 7.67.

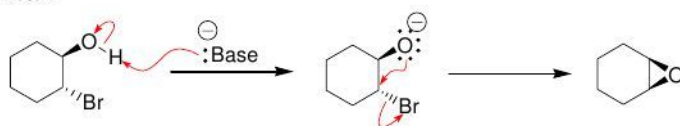


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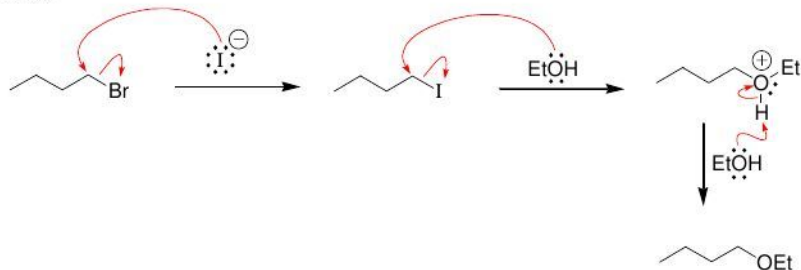


b) This reaction occurs via an  $S_N2$  process. As such, the rate of the reaction is highly sensitive to the nature of the substrate. The reaction will be faster in this case, because the methyl ester is less sterically hindered than the ethyl ester.

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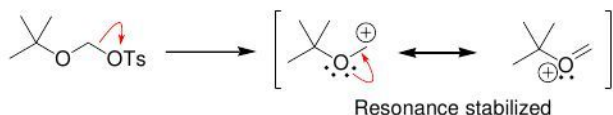


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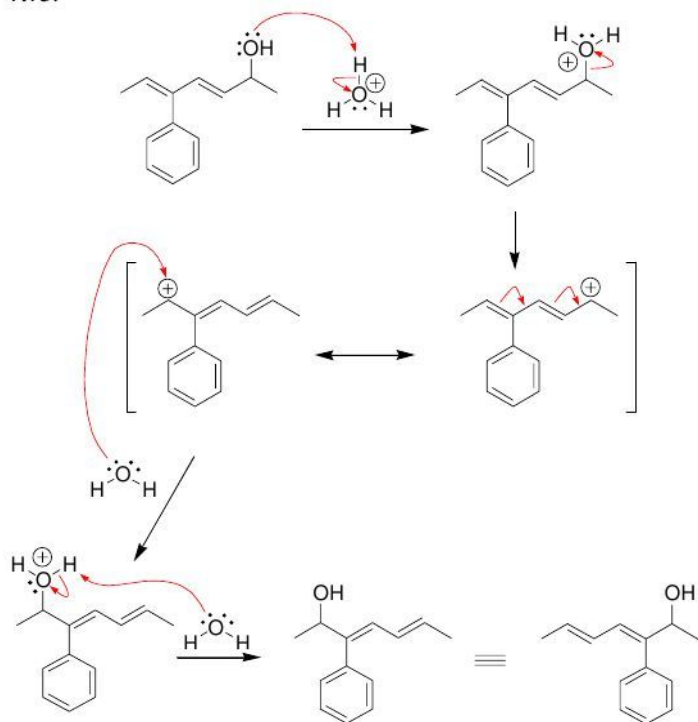
When the leaving group leaves, the carbocation formed is resonance stabilized:



7.72.

Iodide is a very good nucleophile (because it is polarizable), and it is also a very good leaving group (because it can stabilize the negative charge by spreading the charge over a large volume of space). As such, iodide will function as a nucleophile to displace the chloride ion. Once installed, the iodide group is a better leaving group than chloride, thereby increasing the rate of the reaction.

7.73.



# Chapter 8

## Alkenes: Structure and Preparation via Elimination Reactions

### Review of Concepts

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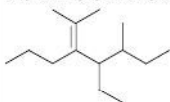
- Alkene stability increases with increasing degree of \_\_\_\_\_.
- E2 reactions are said to be **regioselective**, because the more substituted alkene, called the \_\_\_\_\_ **product**, is generally the major product.
- When both the substrate and the base are sterically hindered, the less substituted alkene, called the \_\_\_\_\_ **product**, is the major product.
- E2 reactions are **stereospecific** because they generally occur via the \_\_\_\_\_ conformation.
- Substituted cyclohexanes only undergo E2 reactions from the chair conformation in which the leaving group and the proton both occupy \_\_\_\_\_ positions.
- E1 reactions exhibit a regiochemical preference for the \_\_\_\_\_ product.
- E1 reactions are not stereospecific, but they are stereo\_\_\_\_\_.
- Strong nucleophiles are compounds that contain a \_\_\_\_\_ and/or are \_\_\_\_\_.
- Strong bases are compounds whose conjugate acids are \_\_\_\_\_.

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 8. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

#### 8.1 Assembling the Systematic Name of an Alkene

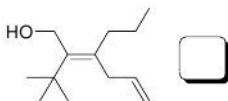
PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE

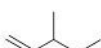
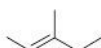
#### 8.2 Assigning the Configuration of a double bond

ASSIGN THE CONFIGURATION OF THE DOUBLE BOND IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



## 8.3 Comparing the Stability of Isomeric Alkenes

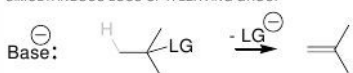
CIRCLE THE MOST STABLE ALKENE BELOW



## 8.4 Drawing the Curved Arrows of an Elimination Reaction

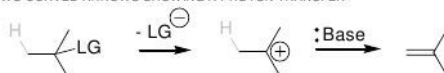
## A CONCERTED MECHANISM

DRAW THREE CURVED ARROWS, SHOWING A PROTON TRANSFER ACCOMPANIED BY SIMULTANEOUS LOSS OF A LEAVING GROUP



## A STEPWISE MECHANISM

DRAW A CURVED ARROW SHOWING THE LOSS OF THE LEAVING GROUP TO FORM A CARBOCATION INTERMEDIATE, FOLLOWED BY ANOTHER TWO CURVED ARROWS SHOWING A PROTON TRANSFER



## 8.5 Predicting the Regiochemical Outcome of an E2 Reaction

DRAW THE ELIMINATION PRODUCTS OBTAINED WHEN THE COMPOUND BELOW IS TREATED WITH A STRONG BASE.



Strong Base



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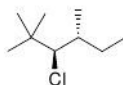
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## 8.6 Predicting the Stereochemical Outcome of an E2 Reaction

PREDICT THE STEREOCHEMICAL OUTCOME OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION, AND DRAW THE PRODUCT.

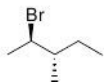


Strong Base



## 8.7 Drawing the Products of an E2 Reaction

PREDICT THE MAJOR AND MINOR PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION.



NaOEt



MAJOR

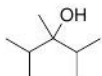
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MINOR

## 8.8 Predicting the Regiochemical Outcome of an E1 Reaction

PREDICT THE MAJOR AND MINOR PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION.


 $\xrightarrow[\text{heat}]{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4}$ 


MAJOR

+



MINOR

## 8.9 Drawing the Complete Mechanism of an E1 Reaction

IDENTIFY THE TWO CORE STEPS AND TWO POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL STEPS OF AN E1 PROCESS

TWO CORE STEPS

TWO POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL STEPS

## 8.10 Determining the Function of a Reagent

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT FALL INTO EACH OF THE FOUR CATEGORIES BELOW:

NUCLEOPHILE (ONLY)	BASE (ONLY)	STRONG / STRONG NUC / STRONG BASE	WEAK / WEAK NUC / WEAK BASE

## 8.11 Identifying the Expected Mechanism(s)

IDENTIFY THE MECHANISM(S) THAT OPERATE IN EACH OF THE CASES BELOW:

STRONG / STRONG  
NUC / STRONG  
BASE

1° → MINOR + MAJOR

2° → MAJOR + MINOR

3° → ONLY

## 8.12 Predicting the Products of Substitution and Elimination Reactions

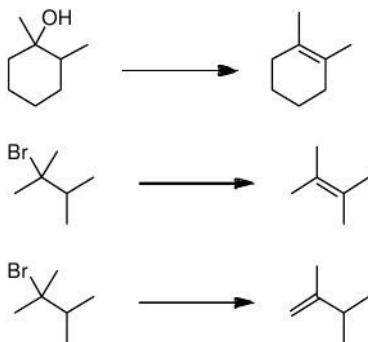
FILL IN THE BLANKS BELOW:

STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3
DETERMINE THE FUNCTION OF THE _____	ANALYZE THE _____ AND DETERMINE THE EXPECTED MECHANISM(S).	CONSIDER ANY RELEVANT REGIOCHEMICAL AND _____ REQUIREMENTS



### Review of Synthetically Useful Elimination Reactions

Identify reagents that will achieve each of the transformations below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 8. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Synthetically Useful Elimination Reactions*.

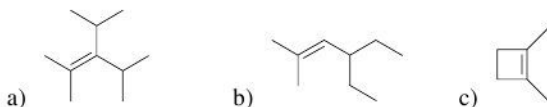


### Solutions

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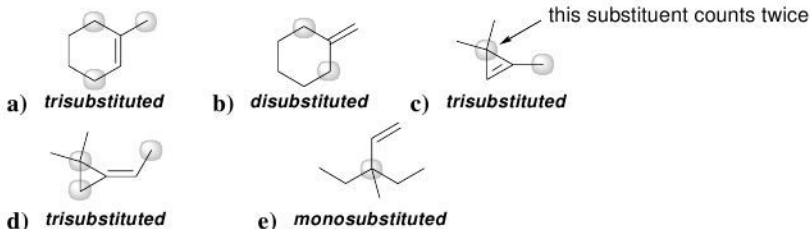
- 2,3,5-trimethyl-2-heptene
- 3-ethyl-2-methyl-2-heptene
- 3-isopropyl-2,4-dimethyl-1-pentene
- 4-*tert*-butyl-1-heptene

8.2.

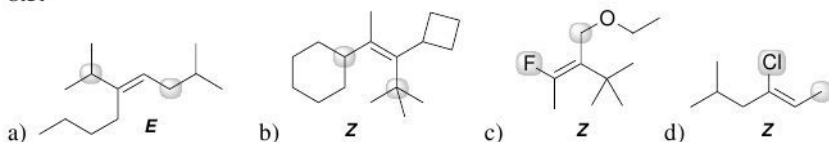


8.3. 2,3-dimethylbicyclo[2.2.1]hept-2-ene

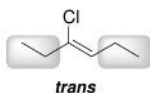
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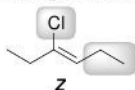
8.5.



8.6. When using *cis-trans* terminology, we look for two identical groups. In this case, there are two ethyl groups that are in the *trans* configuration:



However, when using E-Z terminology, we look for the highest priority at each vinylic position. Chlorine receives a higher priority than ethyl, so in this case, the highest priority groups are on the same side of the pi bond:

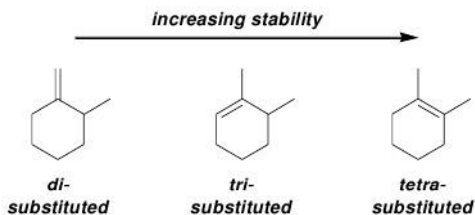


Below are two other examples of alkenes that have the *trans* configuration, but nevertheless have the Z configuration:

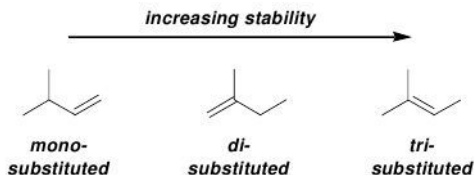


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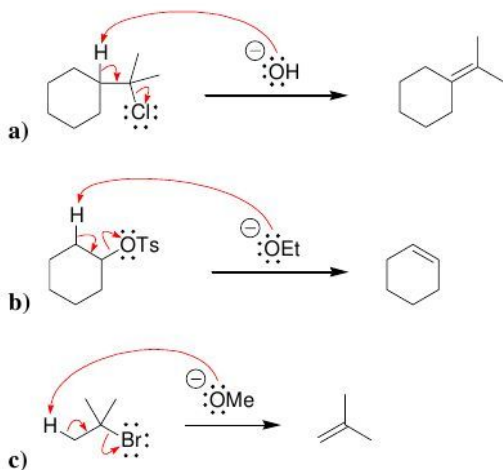
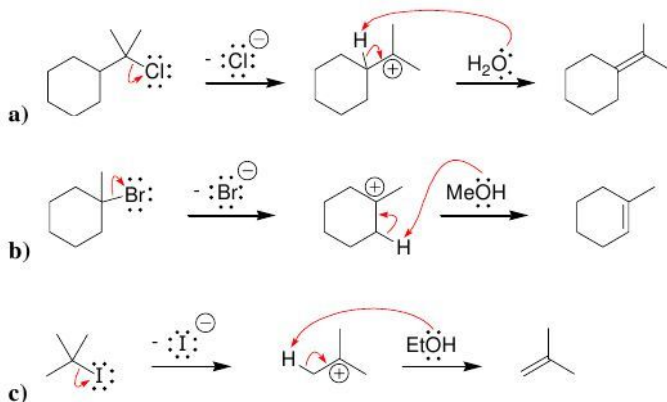
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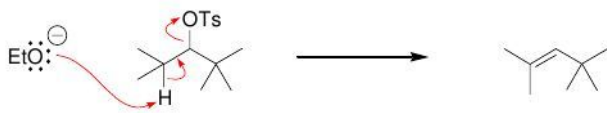
b)



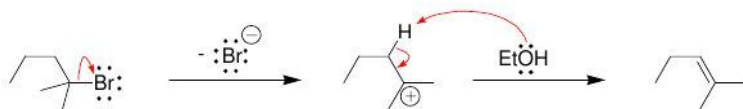
**8.8.** In the first compound, all of the carbon atoms of the ring are  $sp^3$  hybridized and tetrahedral. As a result, they are supposed to have bond angles of approximately  $109.5^\circ$ , but their bond angles are compressed due to the ring (and are almost  $90^\circ$ ). In other words, the compound exhibits angle strain characteristic of small rings. In the second compound, two of the carbon atoms are  $sp^2$  hybridized and trigonal planar. As a result, they are supposed to have bond angles of approximately  $120^\circ$ , but their bond angles are compressed due to the ring (and are almost  $90^\circ$ ). The resulting angle strain ( $120^\circ \rightarrow 90^\circ$ ) is greater than the angle strain in the first compound ( $109.5^\circ \rightarrow 90^\circ$ ). Therefore, the second compound is higher in energy, despite the fact that it has a more highly substituted double bond.

**8.9.****8.10.**

8.11. This mechanism is concerted:



8.12.



8.13.

a) 3x faster

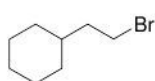
b) 2x faster

c) 6x faster

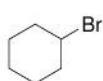
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a)

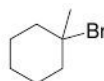
increasing reactivity towards E2



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substrate



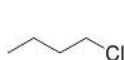
secondary  
substrate



tertiary  
substrate

b)

increasing reactivity towards E2



primary  
substrate

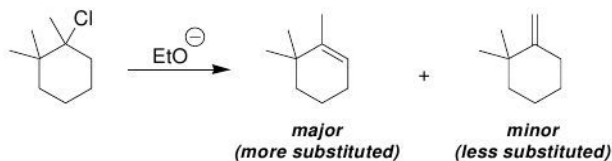


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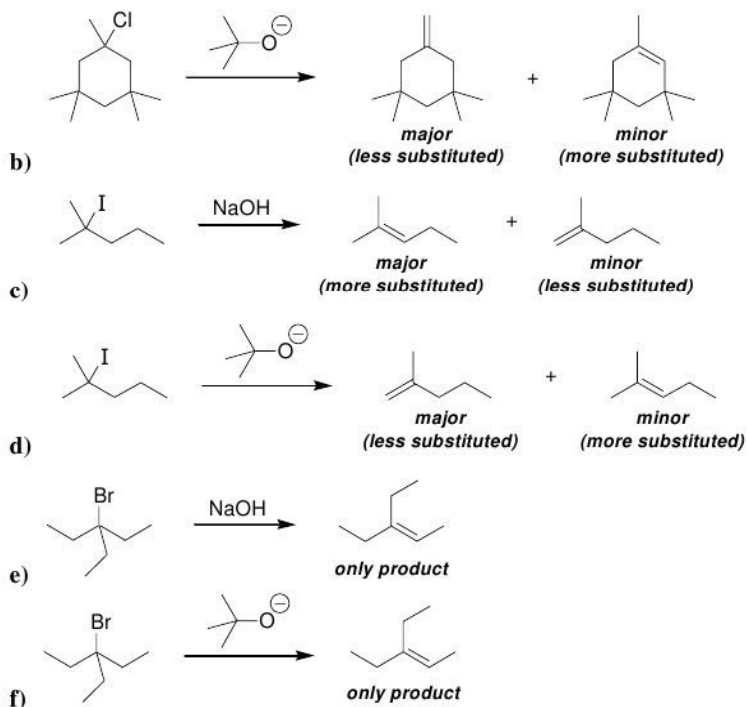


tertiary  
substrate

8.15.



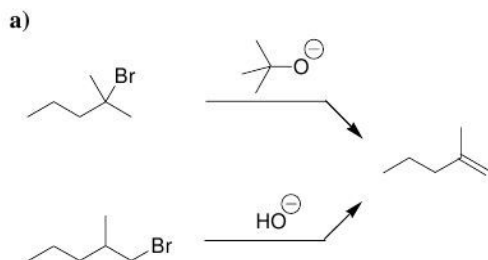
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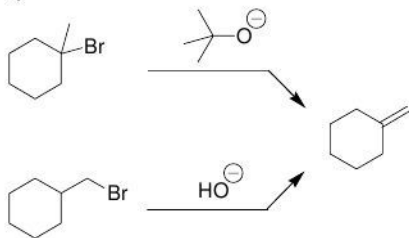
## 8.16.

- a) The more substituted alkene is desired, so hydroxide should be used.  
 b) The less substituted alkene is desired, so *tert*-butoxide should be used.

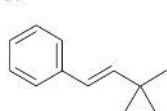
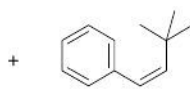
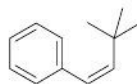
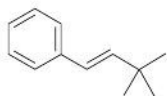
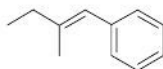
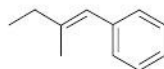
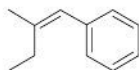
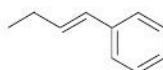
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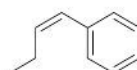
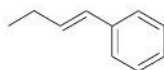
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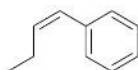
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a) *major**minor*b) *the only E2 product*c) *the only E2 product*d) *the only E2 product*e) *the only E2 product*f) *the only E2 product*g) *major*

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*minor*h) *major*

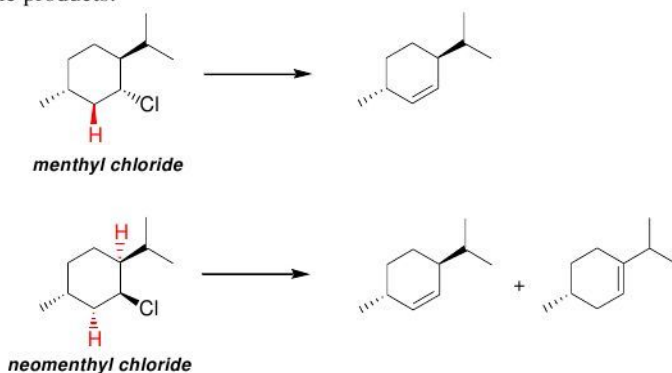
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8.19.

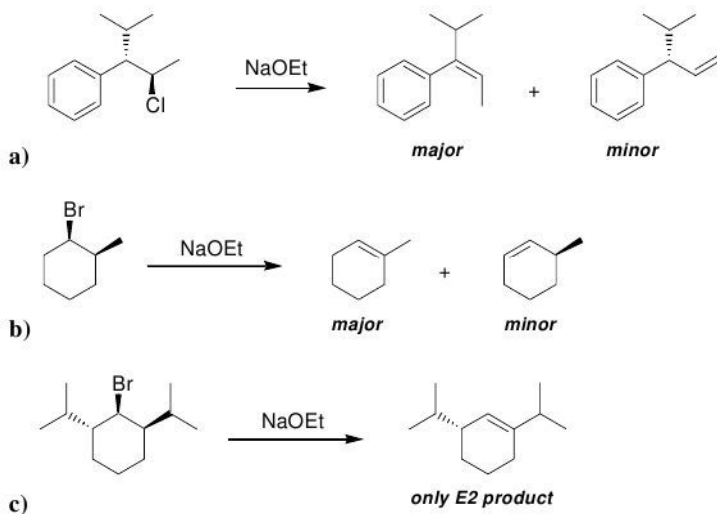


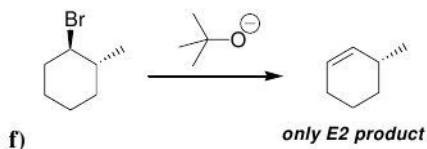
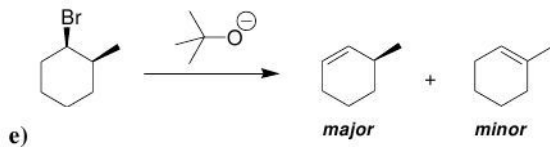
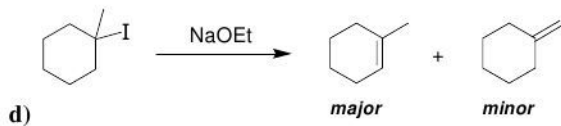
**8.20.** The leaving group in menthyl chloride can only achieve antiperiplanarity with one beta proton, so only one elimination product is observed. In contrast, the leaving group in neomenthyl chloride can achieve antiperiplanarity with two beta protons, giving rise to two possible products:



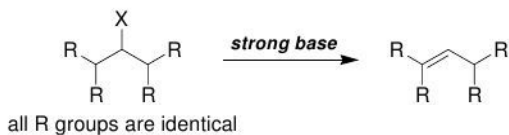
**8.21.** Because of the bulky *tert*-butyl group, the first compound is essentially locked in a chair conformation in which the chlorine occupies an equatorial position. This conformation cannot undergo an E2 reaction because the leaving group is not antiperiplanar to a proton. However, the second compound is locked in a chair conformation in which the chlorine occupies an axial position. This conformation rapidly undergoes an E2 reaction. Therefore, the second compound is expected to be more reactive towards an E2 process than the first compound.

**8.22.**

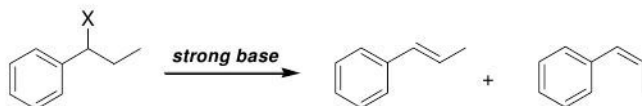




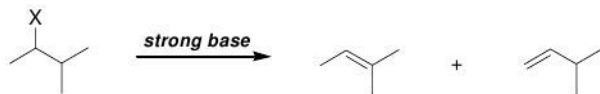
8.23.



8.24.



8.25.



8.26.

- a) Only the concentration of *tert*-butyl iodide affects the rate, so the rate will double.  
 b) Only the concentration of *tert*-butyl iodide affects the rate, so the rate will remain the same.

8.27.

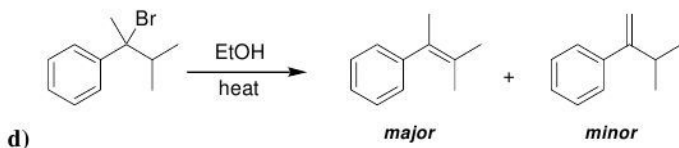
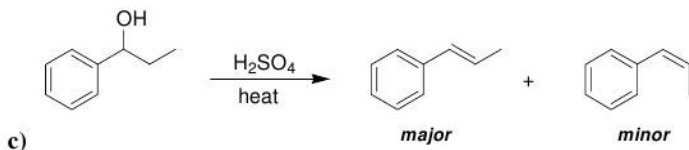
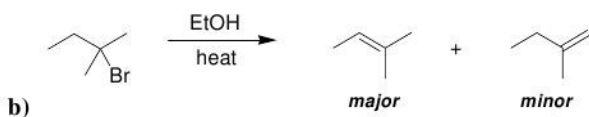
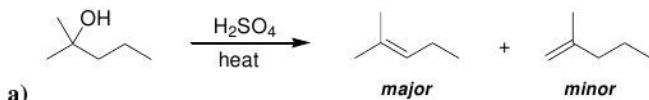




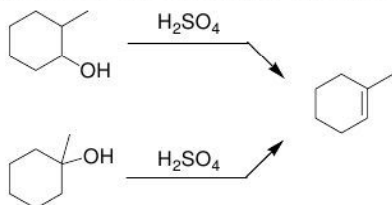
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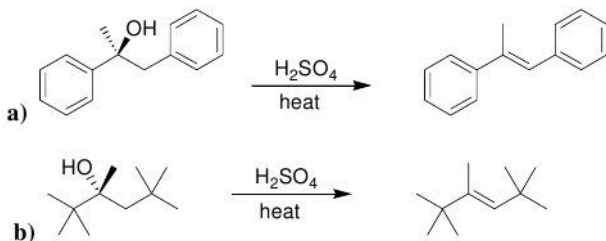
8.29.



8.30. Both alcohols below can be used to form the product. The tertiary alcohol below will react more rapidly because the rate determining step involves formation of a tertiary carbocation rather than a secondary carbocation.



8.31.



8.32.

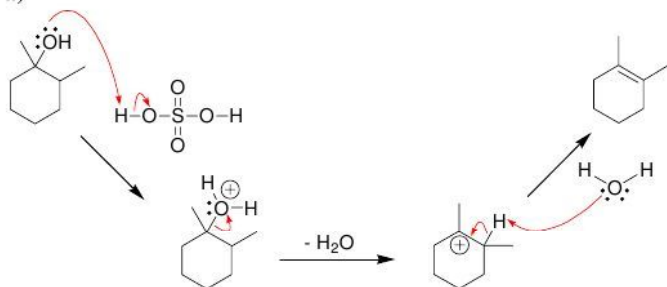
- a) No, the leaving group is not OH
- b) Yes, the leaving group is OH
- c) No, the leaving group is not OH
- d) Yes, the leaving group is OH
- e) No, the leaving group is not OH
- f) No, the leaving group is not OH

8.33.

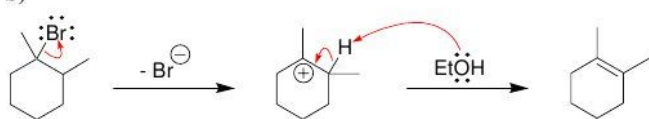
- a) No. Loss of the leaving group forms a tertiary carbocation, which will not rearrange.
- b) Yes. Loss of the leaving group forms a secondary carbocation, which can undergo a methyl shift to form a more stable tertiary carbocation.
- c) Yes. Loss of the leaving group forms a secondary carbocation, which can undergo a hydride shift to form a more stable tertiary carbocation.
- d) No. Loss of the leaving group forms a secondary carbocation, which cannot rearrange in this case to form a tertiary carbocation.
- e) No. Loss of the leaving group forms a tertiary carbocation, which will not rearrange.
- f) No. Loss of the leaving group forms a secondary carbocation, which cannot rearrange in this case to form a tertiary carbocation.

8.34.

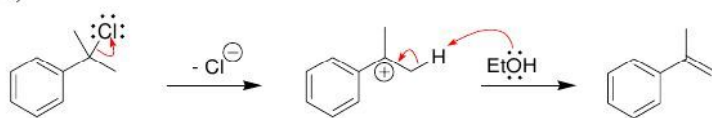
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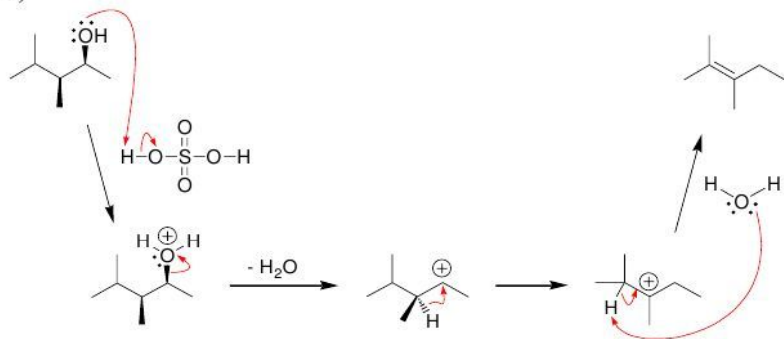
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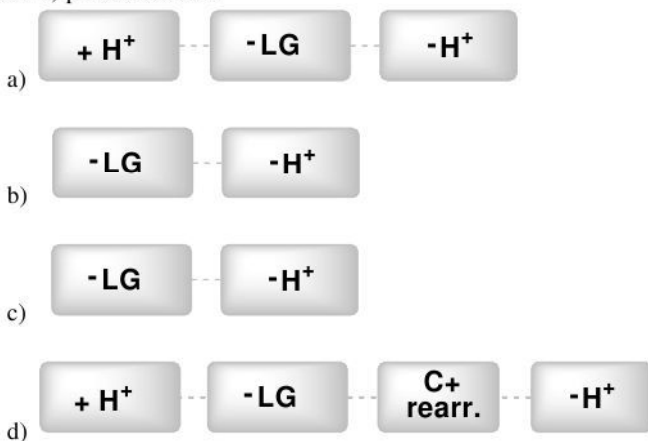
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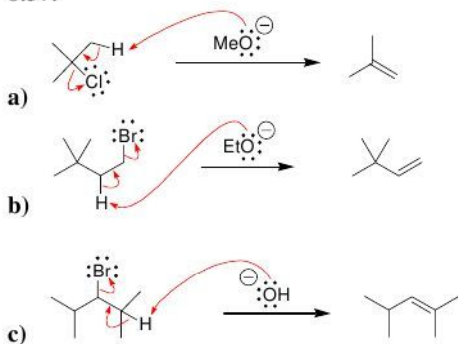


**8.35.** Problem 8.34b and 8.34c exhibit the same pattern because both have leaving groups that can leave without being protonated, and both do not exhibit a carbocation rearrangement. As a result both mechanisms involve only two steps: 1) loss of a leaving group and 2) proton transfer.

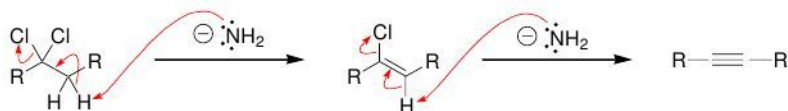


**8.36.** The first method is more efficient because it employs a strong base to promote an E2 process for a secondary substrate bearing a good leaving group. The second method relies on an E1 process occurring at a secondary substrate, which will be slow and will involve a carbocation rearrangement to produce a different product.

**8.37.**



**8.38**



**8.39.**

- a) weak nucleophile, weak base
- b) strong nucleophile, weak base
- c) strong nucleophile, strong base
- d) strong nucleophile, weak base
- e) strong nucleophile, strong base
- f) weak nucleophile, weak base
- g) strong nucleophile, strong base
- h) weak nucleophile, strong base

**8.40.** Aluminum is a larger atom and is polarizable. Therefore, the entire complex can function as a strong nucleophile, and can serve as a delivery agent of a hydride ion. In contrast, the hydride ion by itself is not polarizable and does not function as a nucleophile.

**8.41.**

- a) NaOH is a strong nucleophile and strong base. The substrate in this case is primary. Therefore, we expect  $S_N2$  (giving the major product) and E2 (giving the minor product).
- b) NaSH is a strong nucleophile and weak base. The substrate in this case is primary. Therefore, we expect only  $S_N2$ .
- c) When a primary alkyl halide is treated with *t*-BuOK, the predominant pathway is expected to be E2.
- d) DBN is a weak nucleophile and a strong base. Therefore, we expect only E2.
- e) NaOMe is a strong nucleophile and strong base. The substrate in this case is primary. Therefore, we expect  $S_N2$  (giving the major product) and E2 (giving the minor product).

**8.42.**

- a) NaOEt is a strong nucleophile and strong base. The substrate in this case is secondary. Therefore, we expect E2 (giving the major product) and  $S_N2$  (giving the minor product).
- b) NaI is a strong nucleophile and weak base. DMSO is a polar aprotic solvent. The substrate is secondary. Under these conditions, only  $S_N2$  can occur.
- c) DBU is a weak nucleophile and a strong base. Therefore, we expect only E2.
- d) NaOH is a strong nucleophile and strong base. The substrate in this case is secondary. Therefore, we expect E2 (giving the major product) and  $S_N2$  (giving the minor product).
- e) *t*-BuOK is a strong, sterically hindered base. Therefore, we expect only E2.

**8.43.**

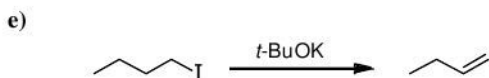
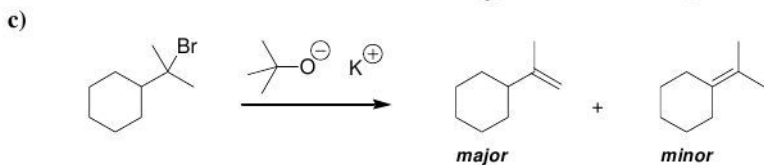
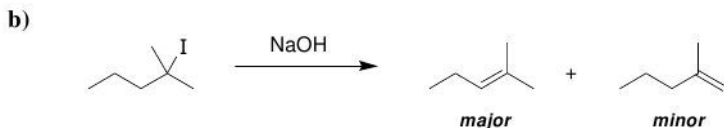
- a) EtOH is a weak nucleophile and weak base. The substrate in this case is tertiary. Therefore, we expect both  $S_N1$  and E1.

- b) *t*-BuOK is a strong, sterically hindered base. Therefore, we expect only E2.  
 c) NaI is a strong nucleophile and weak base. The substrate in this case is tertiary. Therefore, we expect only  $S_N1$ .  
 d) NaOEt is a strong nucleophile and strong base. The substrate in this case is tertiary. Therefore, we expect only E2.  
 e) NaOH is a strong nucleophile and strong base. The substrate in this case is tertiary. Therefore, we expect only E2.

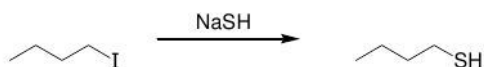
**8.44.**

- a) An E2 reaction does not readily occur because the base is weak.  
 b) An E1 reaction does not readily occur because the substrate is primary.  
 c) Replacing the weak base (EtOH) with a strong base (such as NaOEt) would greatly enhance the rate of an E2 process.  
 d) Replacing the primary substrate with a tertiary substrate (such as 1-chloro-1,1-dimethylbutane) would greatly enhance the rate of an E1 process.

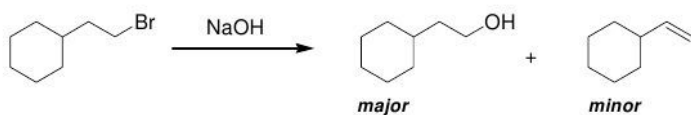
**8.45.** The substrate is tertiary, so  $S_N2$  cannot occur at a reasonable rate. There are no beta protons, so E2 also cannot occur.

**8.46.**

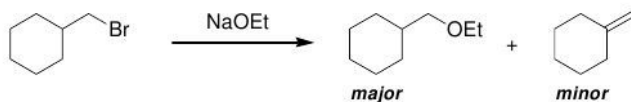
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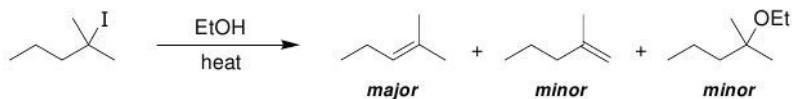
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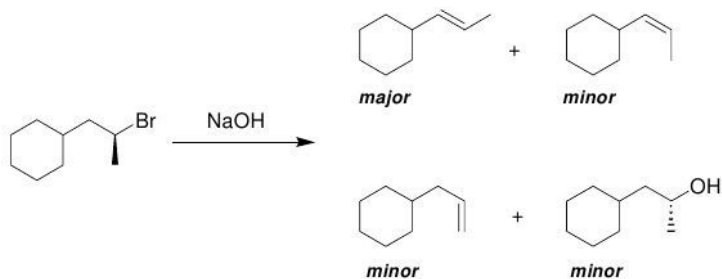
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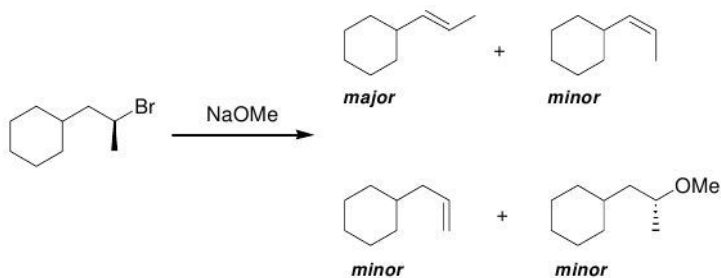
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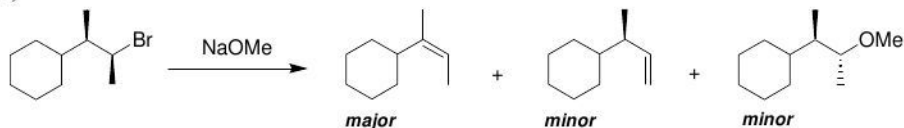
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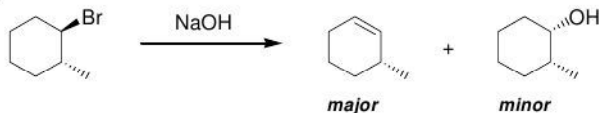
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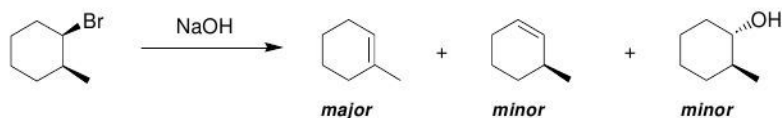
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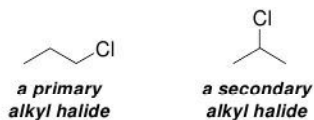
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**8.47.** There are only two constitutional isomers with molecular formula  $C_3H_7Cl$ :



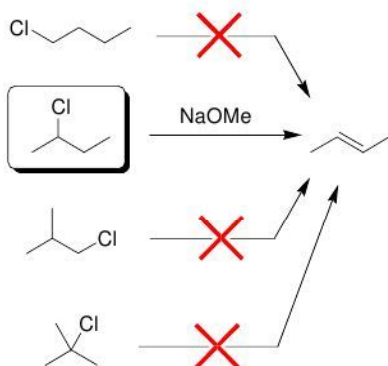
Sodium methoxide is both a strong nucleophile and a strong base. When compound A is treated with sodium methoxide, a substitution reaction predominates. Therefore, compound A must be the primary alkyl chloride above. When compound B is treated with sodium methoxide, an elimination reaction predominates. Therefore, compound B must be the secondary alkyl chloride:



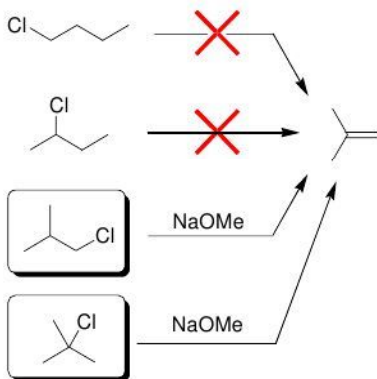


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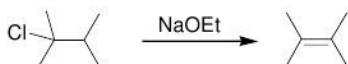
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8.49.



8.50.

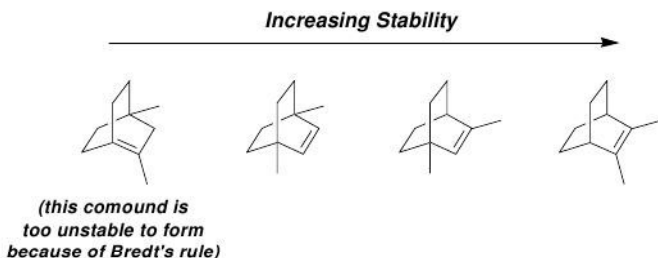
- a) *trans*-3,4,5,5-tetramethyl-3-heptene  
 b) 1-ethylcyclohexene  
 c) 2-methylbicyclo[2.2.2]oct-2-ene

8.51.

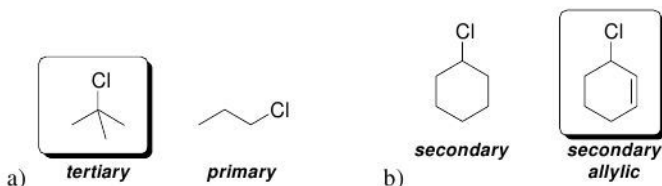


8.52. Because of the bulky *tert*-butyl group, the *trans* isomer is essentially locked in a chair conformation in which the chlorine occupies an equatorial position. This conformation cannot readily undergo an E2 reaction because the leaving group is not antiperiplanar to a proton. However, the *cis* isomer is locked in a chair conformation in which the chlorine occupies an axial position. This conformation rapidly undergoes an E2 reaction.

8.53.



8.54.



8.55.

- NaOH, because hydroxide bears a negative charge.
- sodium ethoxide, because ethoxide bears a negative charge.
- trimethylamine, because of the electron donating effects of the alkyl groups.

8.56.



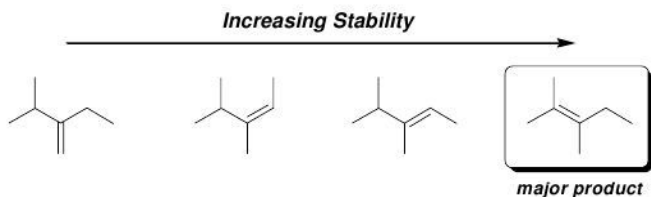
8.57.

- a) The rate of an E2 process is dependent on the concentrations of the substrate and the base. Therefore, the rate will be doubled if the concentration of *tert*-butyl bromide is doubled.
- b) The rate of an E2 process is dependent on the concentrations of the substrate and the base. Therefore, the rate will be doubled if the concentration of sodium ethoxide is doubled.

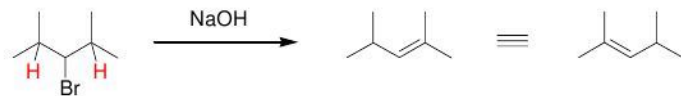
8.58.

- a) The rate of an E1 process is dependent only on the concentration of the substrate (not the base). Therefore, the rate will be doubled if the concentration of *tert*-butyl bromide is doubled.
- b) The rate of an E1 process is dependent only on the concentration of the substrate (not the base). Therefore, the rate will remain the same if the concentration of ethanol is doubled.

8.59.

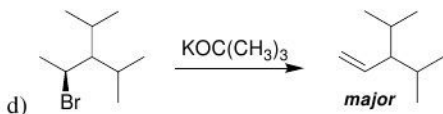


- 8.60. There are only two beta protons to abstract: one at C2 and the other at C4. Abstraction of either proton leads to the same product.

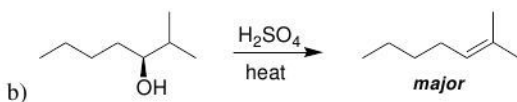
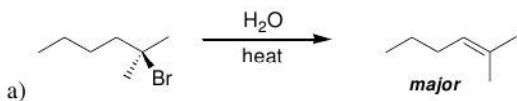


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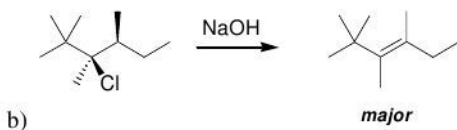
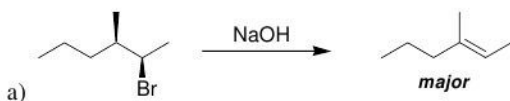
- a)
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8.62.



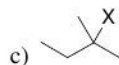
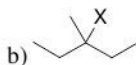
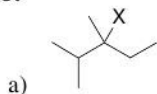
8.63.



**8.64.** The reagent is a strong nucleophile and a strong base, so we expect a bimolecular reaction. The substrate is tertiary so only E2 can operate ( $S_N2$  is too sterically hindered to occur). There is only one possible regiochemical outcome for the E2 process, because the other beta positions lack protons.



8.65.

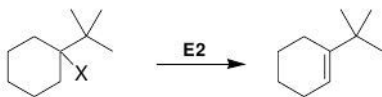


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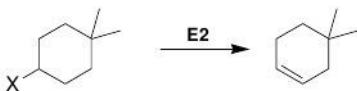
- a) one
- b) three
- c) two
- d) two
- e) five

8.67.

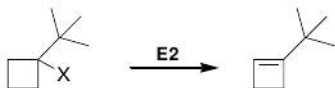
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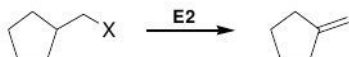
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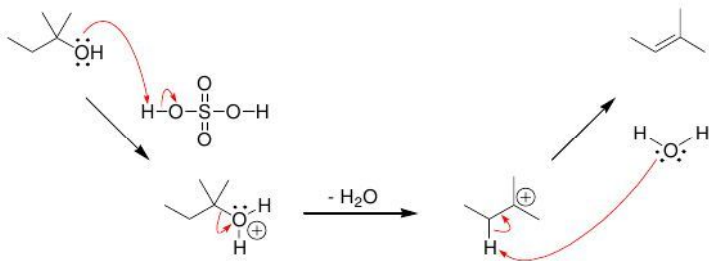


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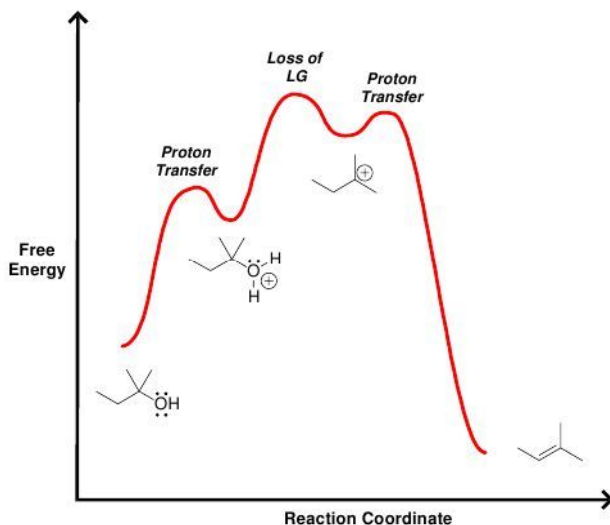
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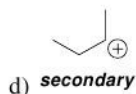
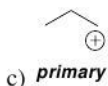
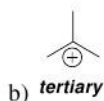
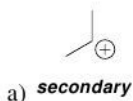


- b) This is an E1 process, so the rate is dependent only on the substrate:  
 $\text{Rate} = k[\text{substrate}]$

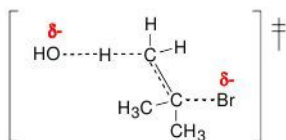
c)



**8.69.** The primary substrate will not undergo an E1 reaction because primary carbocations are too high in energy to form readily.



**8.70.**



**8.71.** The first compound produces a trisubstituted alkene, while the second compound produces a monosubstituted alkene. As such, the transition state for the reaction of the first compound will be lower in energy than the transition state for the reaction of the second compound.

**8.72.** The first reaction is very slow, because the *tert*-butyl group effectively locks the ring in a chair conformation in which the leaving group (Br) occupies an equatorial position. In this conformation, the leaving group cannot be

antiperiplanar to a beta proton. So the reaction can only occur from the other chair conformation, which the compound does not readily adopt. The second reaction is very rapid, because the *tert*-butyl group effectively locks the ring in a chair conformation in which the leaving group (Br) occupies an axial position. In this conformation, the leaving group is antiperiplanar to a beta proton. The third reaction does not occur at all because there are no beta protons that are antiperiplanar to the leaving group (on a cyclohexane ring, there must be at least one beta proton that is *trans* to the leaving group in order to be able to adopt an antiperiplanar conformation).

**8.73.** Pi bonds cannot be formed at the bridgehead of a bicyclic compound, unless one of the rings is large (at least eight carbon atoms). This rule is known as Bredt's rule.

**8.74.**

- The first compound will react more rapidly because it is tertiary
- The second compound will react more rapidly in an E2 reaction because the first compound does not have any beta protons (and therefore cannot undergo E2 at all).

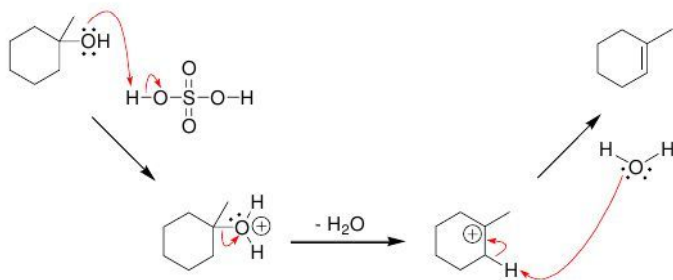
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- The Zaitsev product is desired, so sodium hydroxide should be used.
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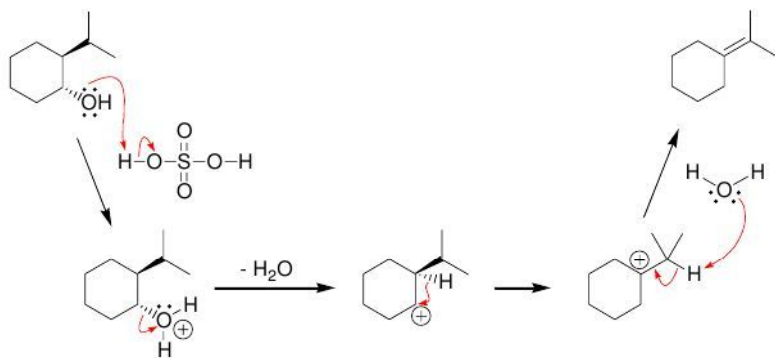
**8.76.** There is only one beta proton that can be abstracted so as to form the Zaitsev product. This proton is *cis* to the leaving group, and therefore, it cannot be antiperiplanar to the leaving group (not in either chair conformation). As a result, only the Hofmann product can be formed.

**8.77.**

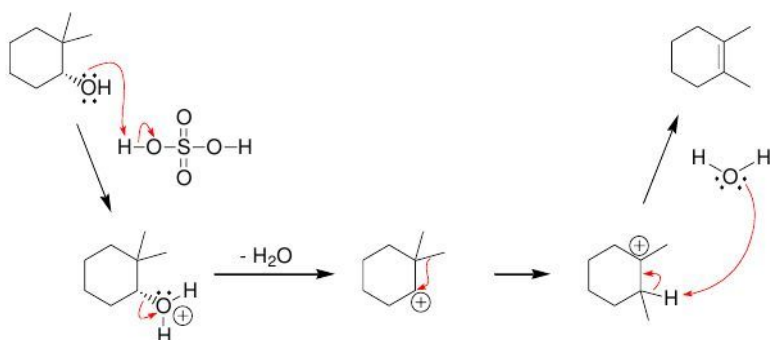
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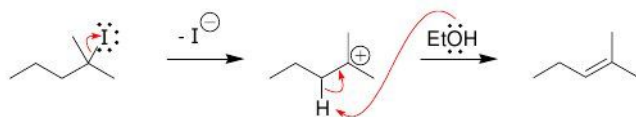
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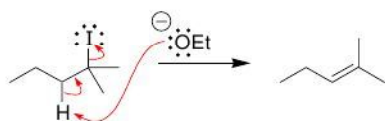
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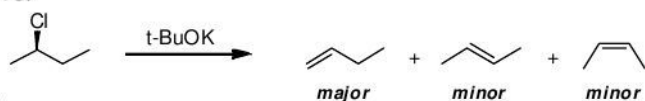
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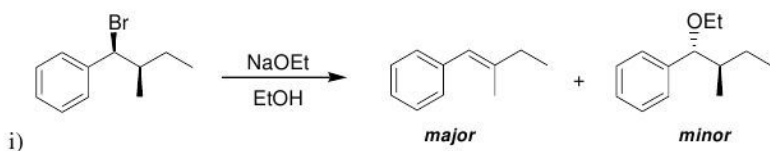
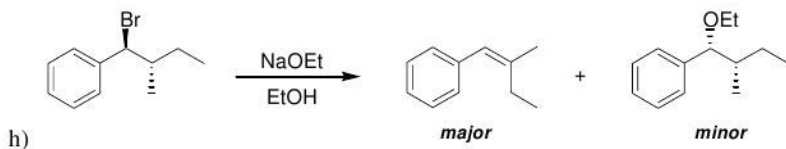
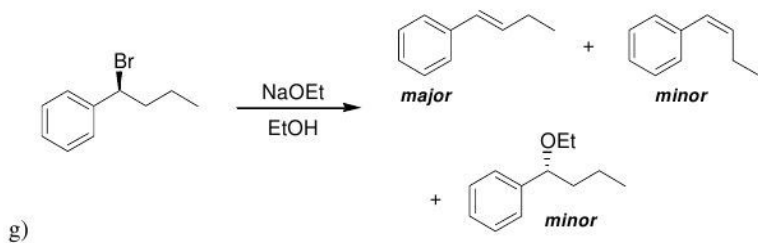
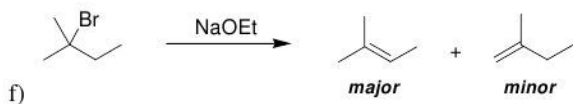
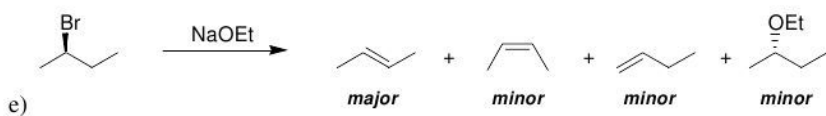
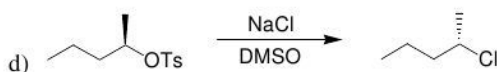
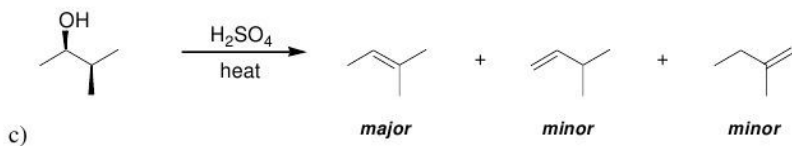
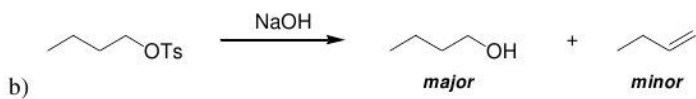


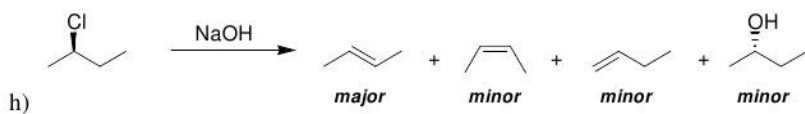
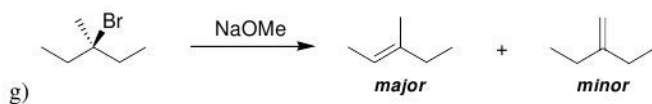
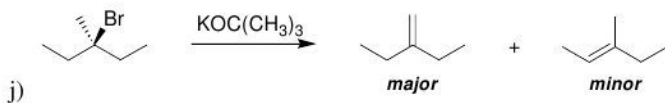
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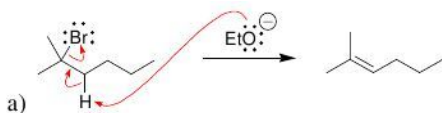
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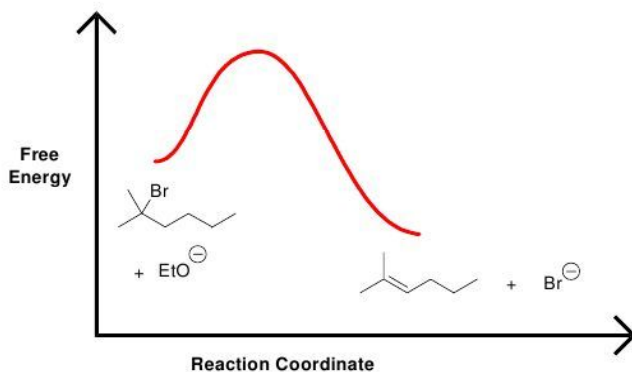
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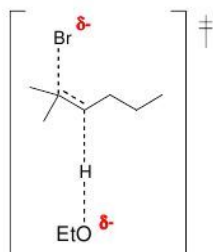
b) For an E2 process, the rate is dependent on the concentrations of the substrate and the nucleophile:  $\text{Rate} = k[\text{substrate}][\text{base}]$

c) If the concentration of base is doubled, the rate will be doubled.

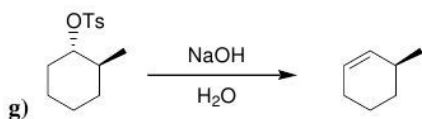
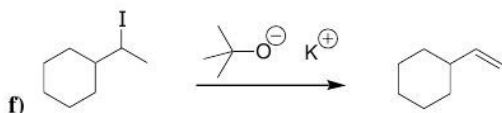
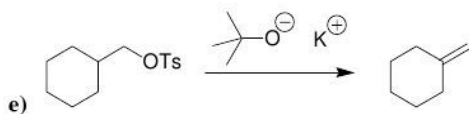
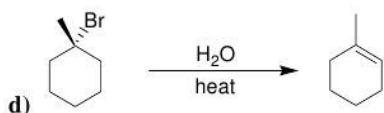
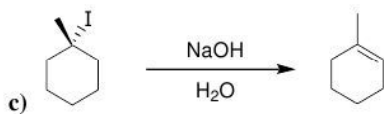
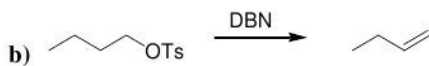
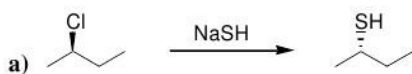
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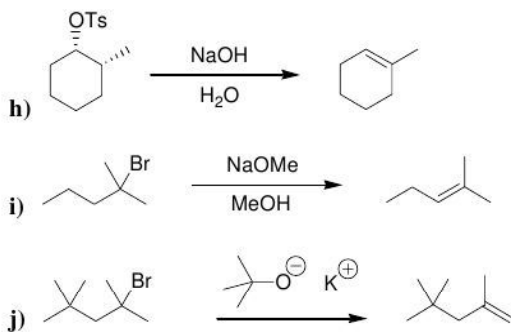


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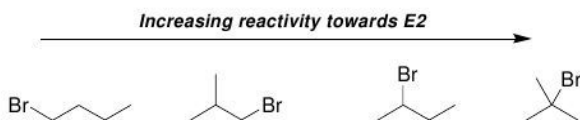


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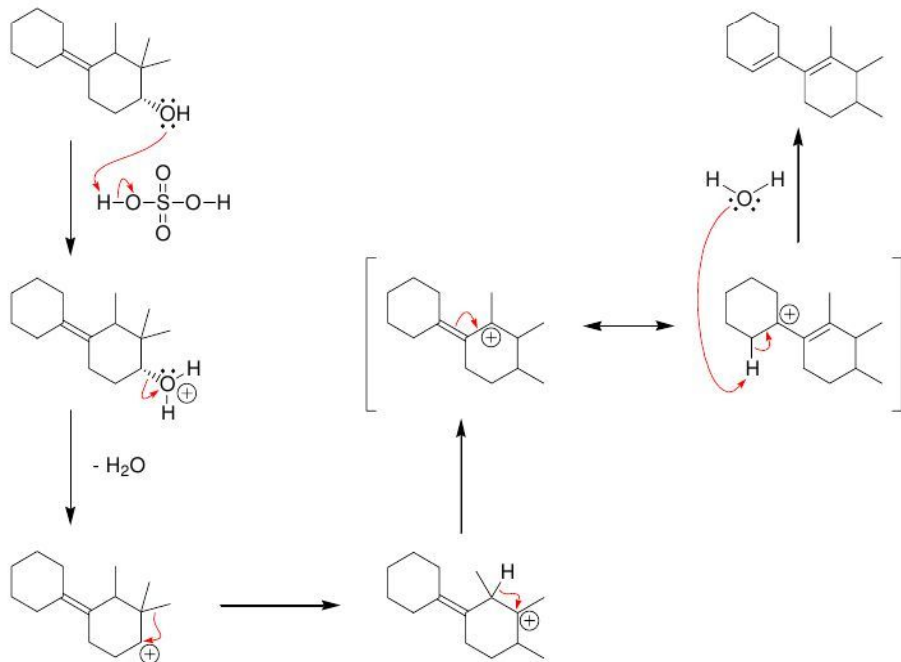




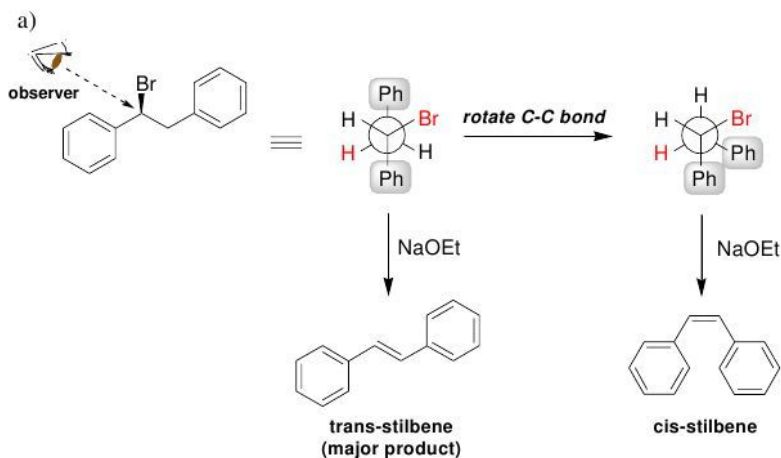
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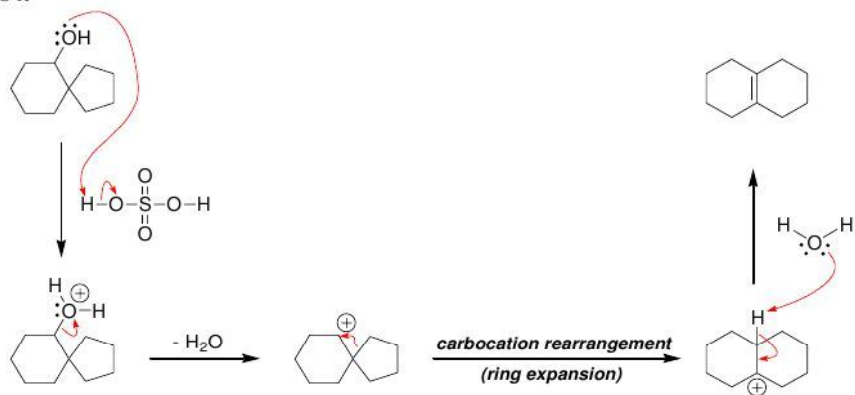


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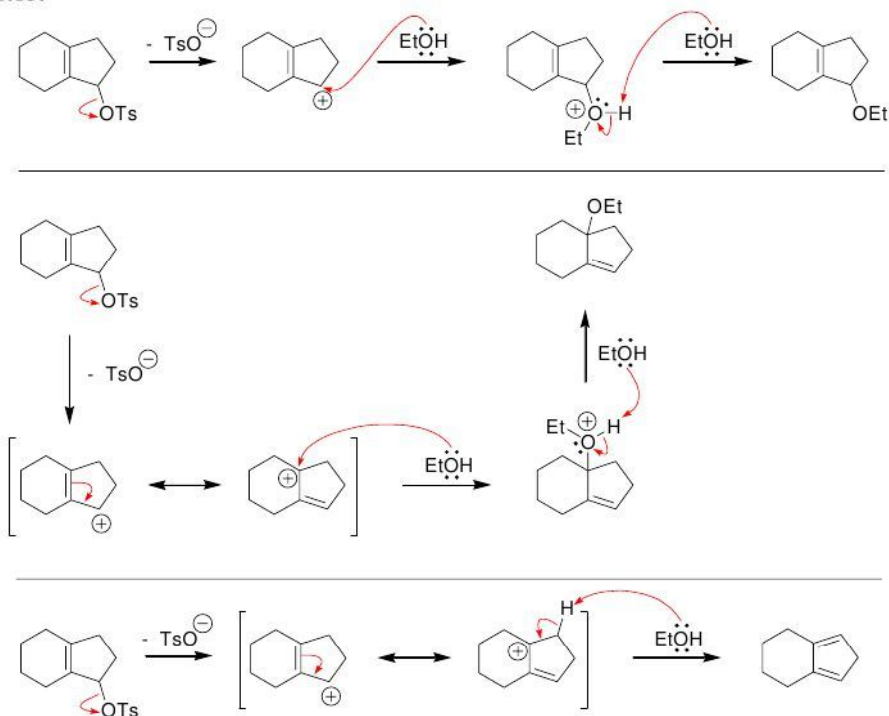


b) There are still two beta protons that can be abstracted in a beta elimination, and both products are still possible. The reaction will still proceed via the conformation with the least steric hinderance. That conformation will lead to the formation of *trans*-stilbene.

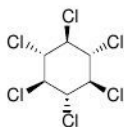
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8.85.



**8.86.** The stereoisomer shown below does not readily undergo E2 elimination because none of the chlorine atoms can be antiperiplanar to a beta proton in a chair conformation. Recall that for substituted cyclohexanes, the leaving group must be *trans* to a beta proton in order to achieve antiperiplanarity. In the isomer below, none of the chlorine atoms are *trans* to a beta proton.



**8.87.** The first compound is a tertiary substrate. The second compound is a tertiary allylic substrate. The latter will undergo E1 more rapidly because a tertiary allylic carbocation is more highly stabilized than a tertiary carbocation. The rate-determining step (loss of the leaving group) will therefore occur more rapidly for the second compound.

# Chapter 9

## Addition Reactions of Alkenes

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 9. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- Addition reactions are thermodynamically favorable at \_\_\_\_ temperature and disfavored at \_\_\_\_ temperature.
- Hydrohalogenation reactions are **regioselective**, because the halogen is generally placed at the \_\_\_\_ substituted position, called \_\_\_\_ **addition**.
- In the presence of \_\_\_\_, addition of HBr proceeds via an **anti-Markovnikov addition**.
- The regioselectivity of an ionic addition reaction is determined by the preference for the reaction to proceed through \_\_\_\_.
- Acid-catalyzed hydration is inefficient when \_\_\_\_ are possible. Dilute acid favors formation of the \_\_\_\_ and while concentrated acid favors the \_\_\_\_.
- **Oxymercuration-demercuration** achieves hydration of an alkene without \_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ can be used to achieve an **anti-Markovnikov** addition of water across an alkene. The reaction is stereospecific and proceeds via a \_\_\_\_ **addition**.
- **Asymmetric hydrogenation** can be achieved with a \_\_\_\_ catalyst.
- Bromination proceeds through a bridged intermediate, called a \_\_\_\_, which is opened by an  $S_N2$  process that produces an \_\_\_\_ **addition**.
- A two-step procedure for **anti** dihydroxylation involves conversion of an alkene to an \_\_\_\_, followed by acid-catalyzed ring opening.
- Ozonolysis can be used to cleave a double bond and produce two \_\_\_\_ groups.
- The position of a leaving group can be changed via \_\_\_\_ followed by \_\_\_\_.
- The position of a  $\pi$  bond can be changed via \_\_\_\_ followed by \_\_\_\_.

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 9. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

#### 9.1 Drawing a Mechanism for Hydrohalogenation

**STEP 1** - DRAW TWO CURVED ARROWS SHOWING PROTONATION OF THE ALKENE, AND DRAW THE CARBOCATION THAT IS FORMED.



**STEP 2** - DRAW ONE CURVED ARROW THAT SHOWS THE HALIDE ION ATTACKING THE CARBOCATION, AND DRAW THE PRODUCT.

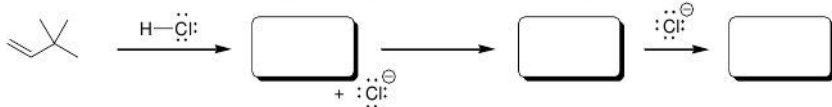


## 9.2 Drawing a Mechanism for Hydrohalogenation with a Carbocation Rearrangement

**STEP 1 -** DRAW TWO CURVED ARROWS SHOWING PROTONATION OF THE ALKENE AND DRAW THE CARBOCATION THAT IS INITIALLY FORMED.

**STEP 2 -** DRAW ONE CURVED ARROW SHOWING A CARBOCATION REARRANGEMENT AND DRAW THE RESULTING, MORE STABLE CARBOCATION.

**STEP 3 -** DRAW ONE CURVED ARROW SHOWING THE HALIDE ION ATTACKING THE CARBOCATION, AND DRAW THE PRODUCT.

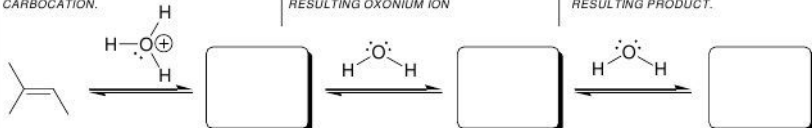


## 9.3 Drawing a Mechanism for an Acid-Catalyzed Hydration

**STEP 1 -** DRAW TWO CURVED ARROWS SHOWING PROTONATION OF THE ALKENE, AND DRAW THE RESULTING CARBOCATION.

**STEP 2 -** DRAW ONE CURVED ARROW SHOWING WATER ATTACKING THE CARBOCATION, AND DRAW THE RESULTING OXONIUM ION.

**STEP 3 -** DRAW TWO CURVED ARROWS SHOWING DEPROTONATION OF THE OXONIUM ION, AND DRAW THE RESULTING PRODUCT.



## 9.4 Predicting the Products of Hydroboration-Oxidation

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION, AND DETERMINE THEIR RELATIONSHIP



RELATIONSHIP = \_\_\_\_\_

## 9.5 Predicting the Products of Catalytic Hydrogenation

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION, AND DETERMINE THEIR RELATIONSHIP



RELATIONSHIP = \_\_\_\_\_

## 9.6 Predicting the Products of Halohydrin Formation

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION, AND DETERMINE THEIR RELATIONSHIP

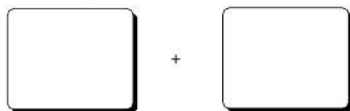
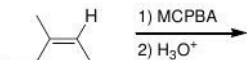


RELATIONSHIP = \_\_\_\_\_



9.7 Drawing the Products of *Anti* Dihydroxylation

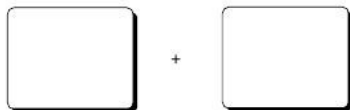
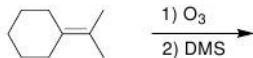
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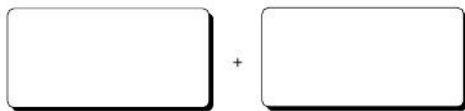
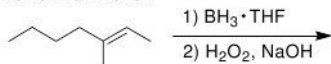
## 9.8 Predicting the Products of Ozonolysis

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION.



## 9.9 Predicting the Products of an Addition Reaction

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION.



## 9.10 Proposing a One-Step Synthesis

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:

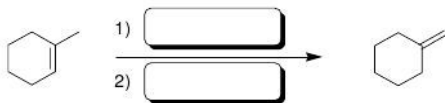


## 9.11 Changing the Position of a Leaving Group

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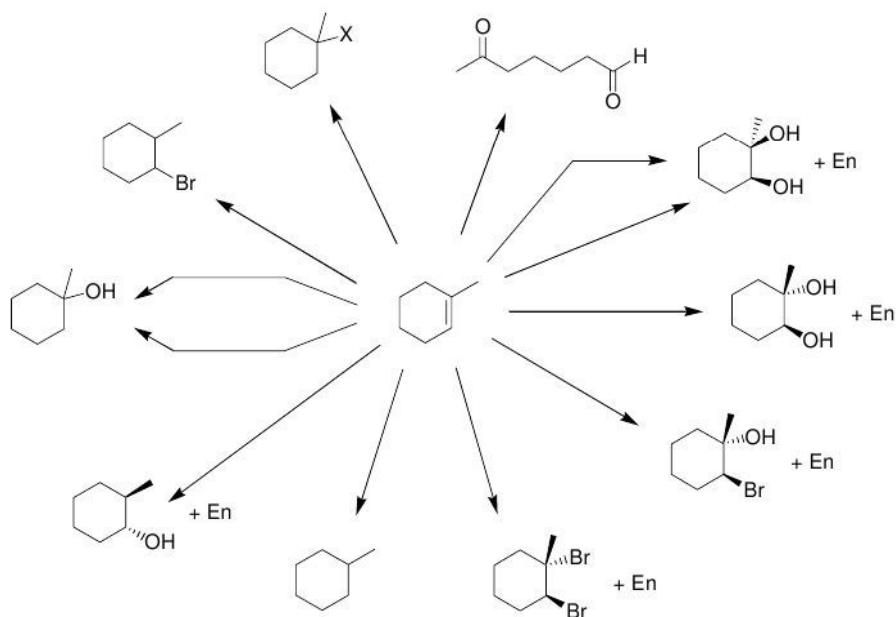
9.12 Changing the Position of a  $\pi$  Bond

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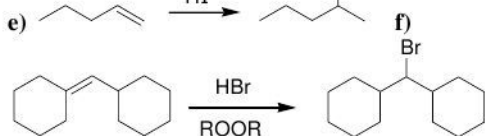
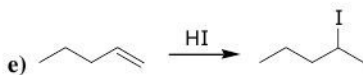
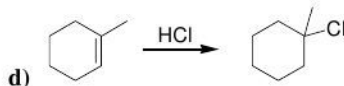
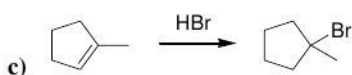
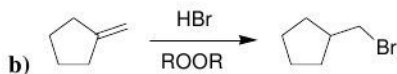
## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 9. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

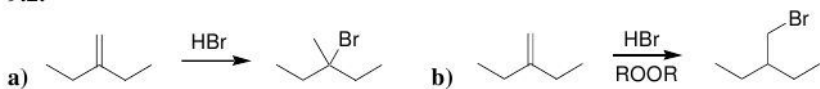


## Solutions

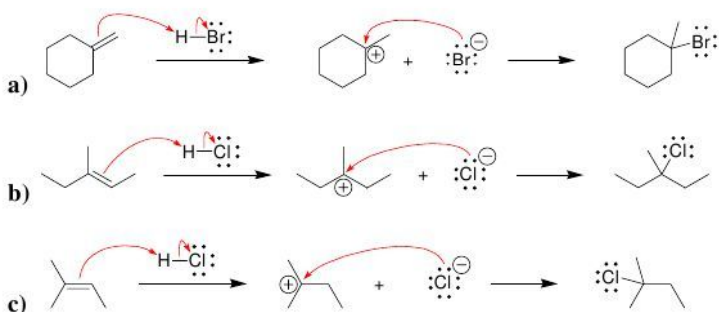
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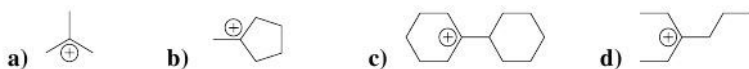
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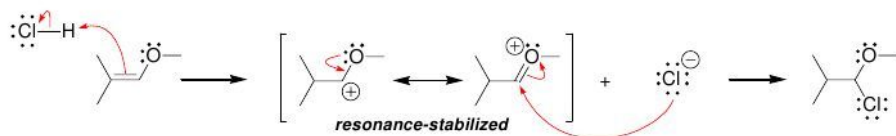
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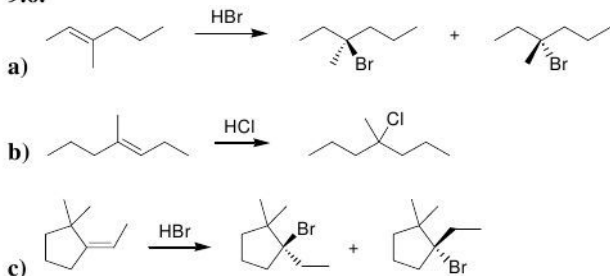
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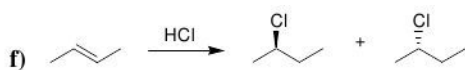
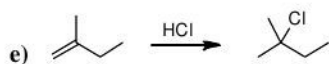
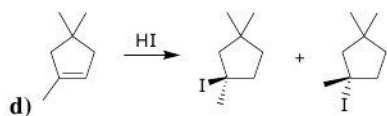


9.5. In this case, the less-substituted carbocation is more stable because it is resonance-stabilized:

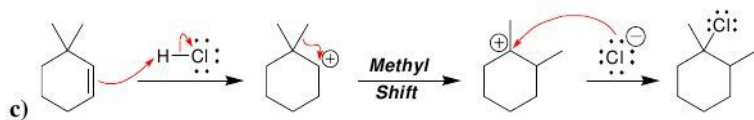
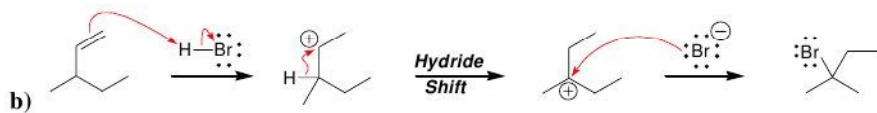
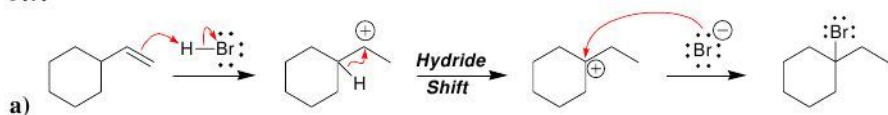


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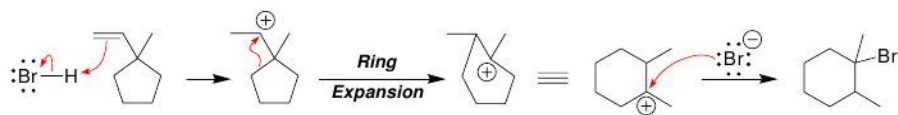




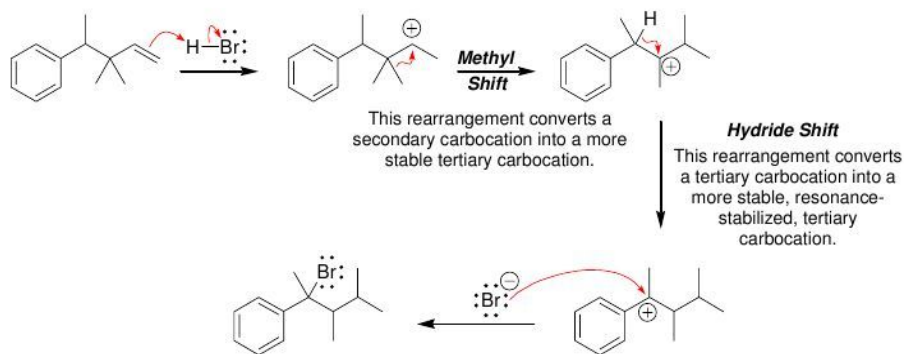
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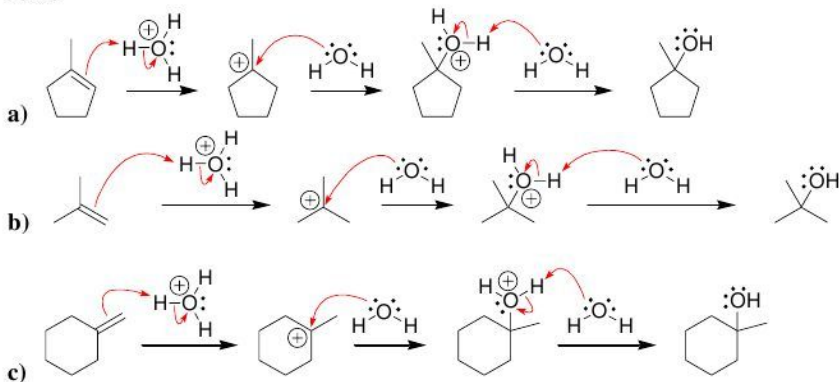


- a) , because the reaction proceeds via a tertiary carbocation, rather than a secondary carbocation.
- b) 2-methyl-2-butene, because the reaction proceeds via a tertiary carbocation, rather than a secondary carbocation.

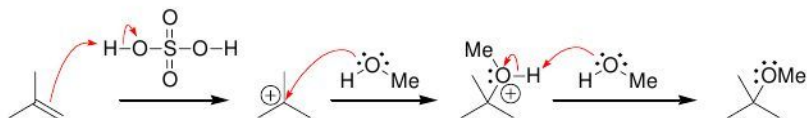
## 9.11.

- a) To favor the alcohol, dilute sulfuric acid (mostly water) is used. Having a high concentration of water favors the alcohol according to Le Chatelier's principle.
- b) To favor the alkene, concentrated sulfuric acid (which has very little water) is used. Having a low concentration of water favors the alkene according to Le Chatelier's principle.

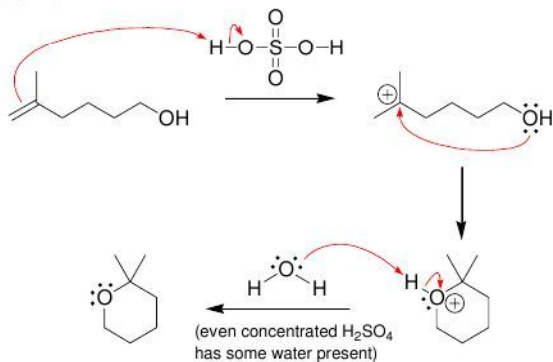
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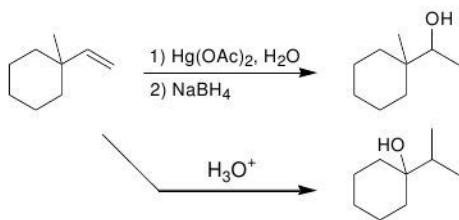


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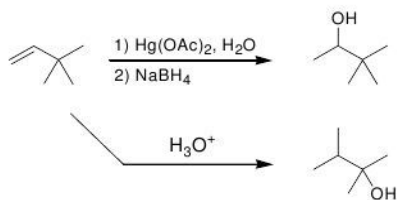


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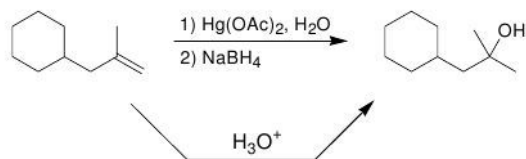
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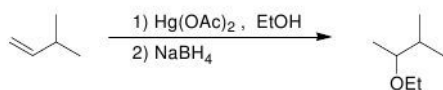


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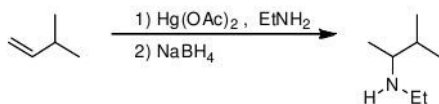


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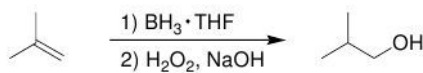


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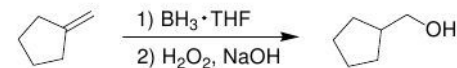


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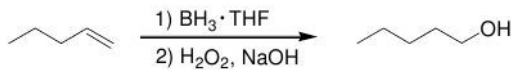
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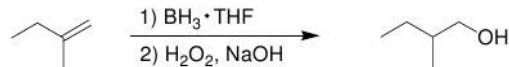
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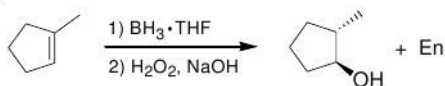


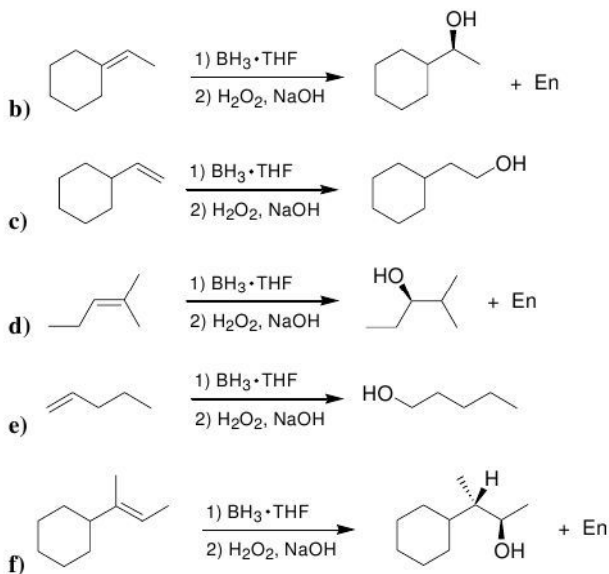
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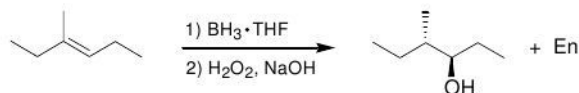
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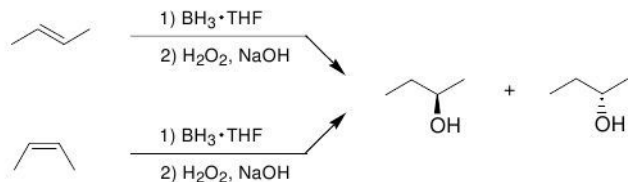




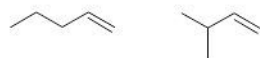
9.20.



9.21. Only one chirality center is formed, so both possible stereoisomers (enantiomers) are obtained, regardless of the configuration of the starting alkene:

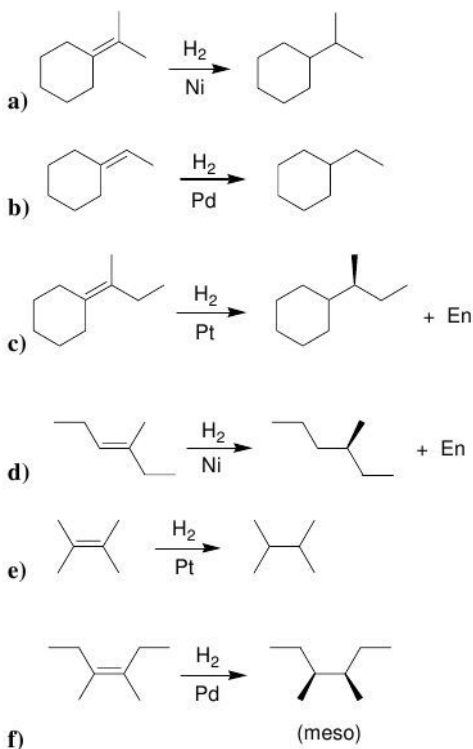


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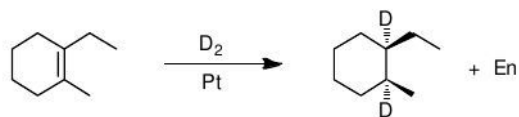




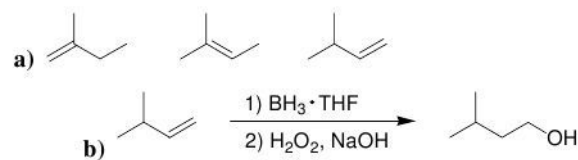
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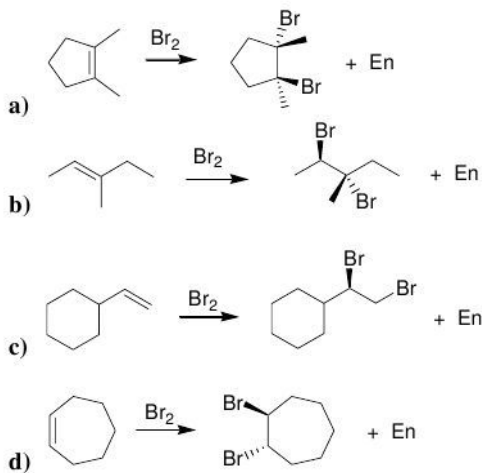
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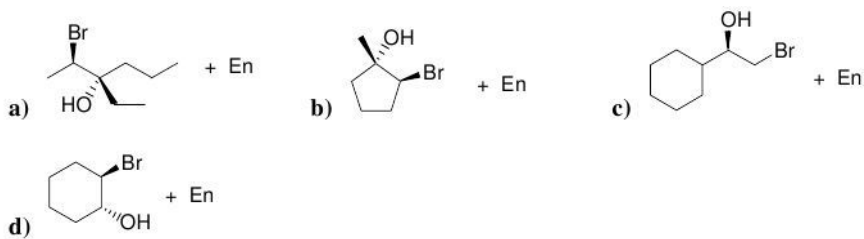
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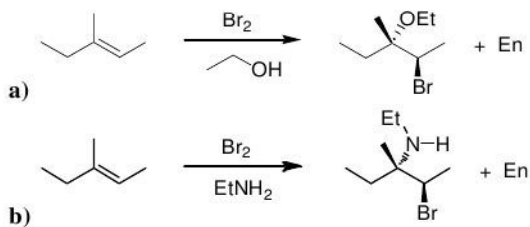
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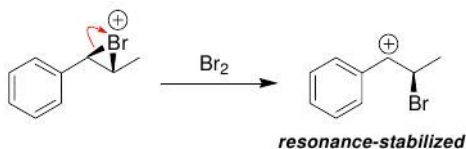
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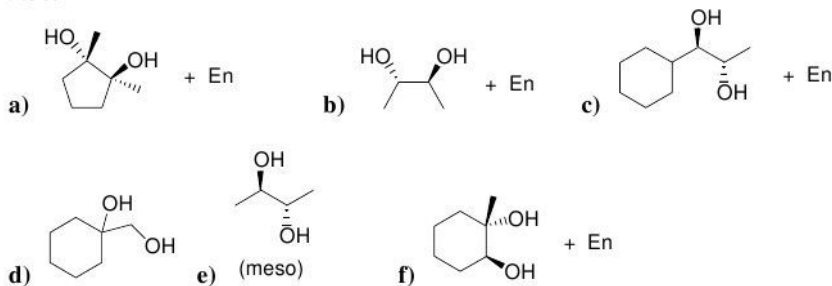
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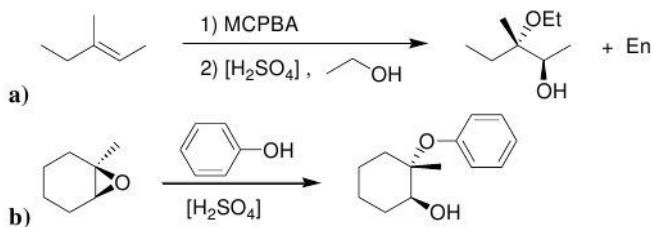
**9.29.** The bromonium ion can open (before a bromide ion attacks), forming a resonance stabilized carbocation. This carbocation is trigonal planar and can be attacked from either side:



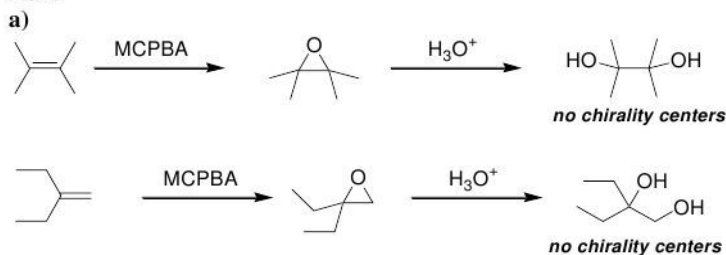
**9.30.**

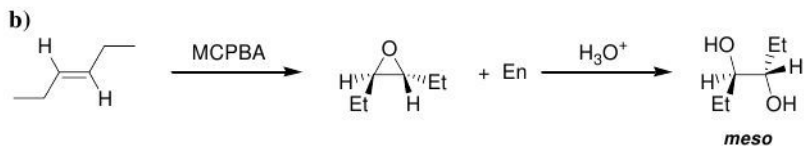


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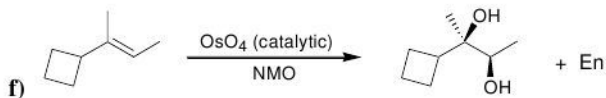
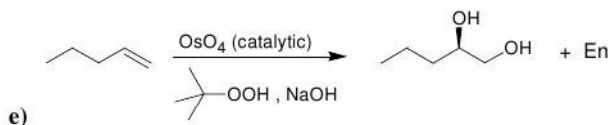
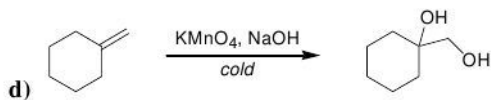
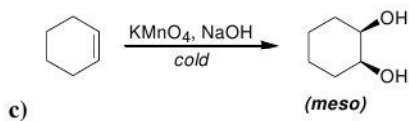
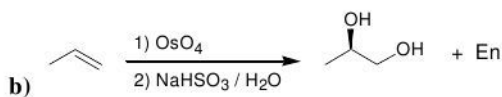
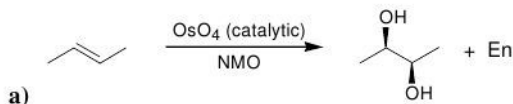


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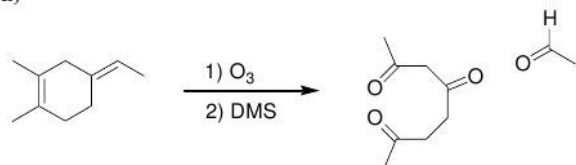


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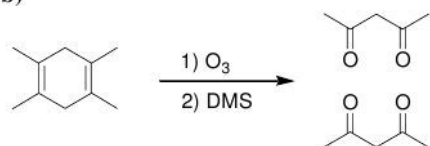


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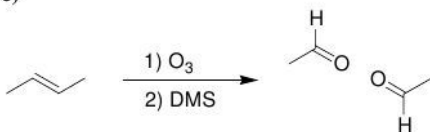
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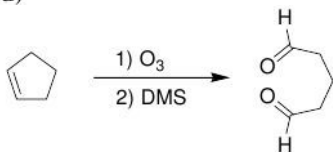
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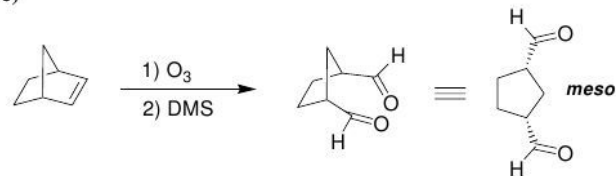
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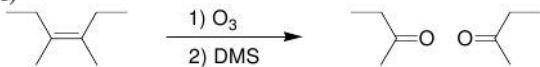
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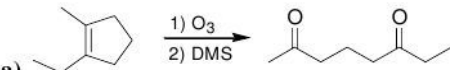


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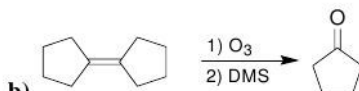


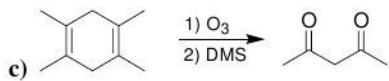
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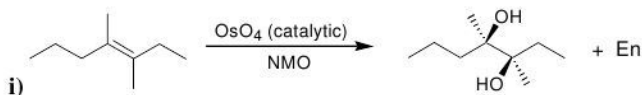
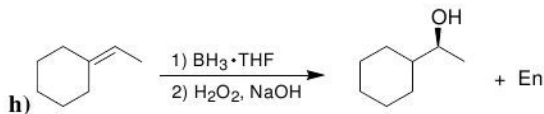
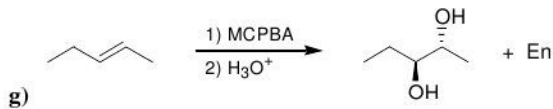
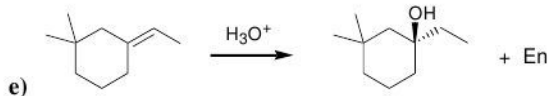
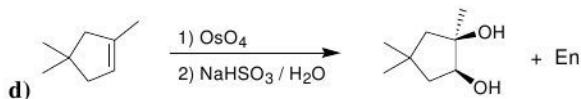
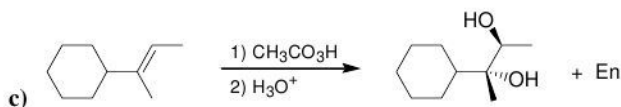
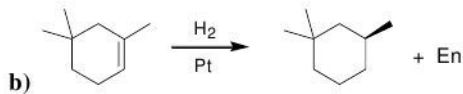
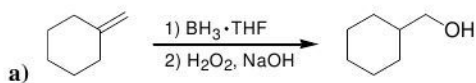


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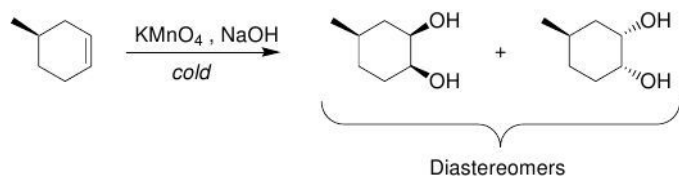




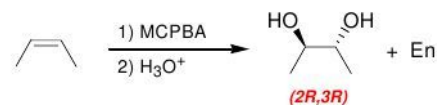
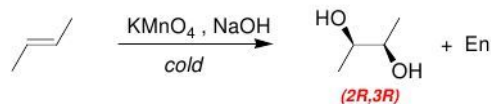
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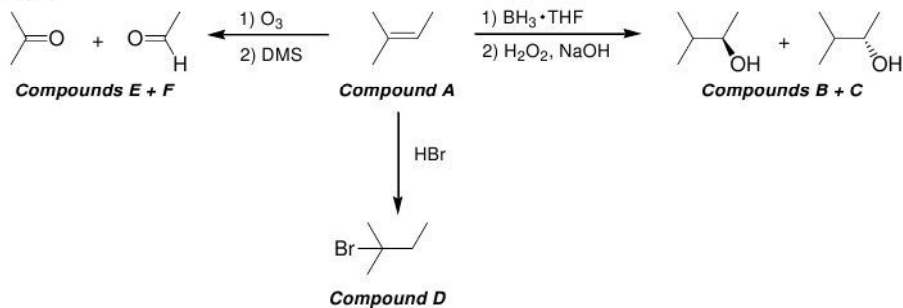
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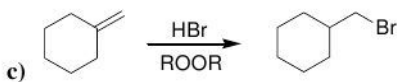
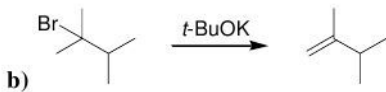
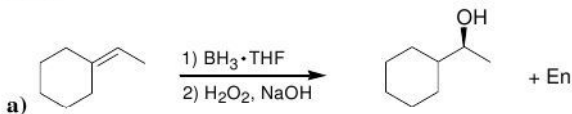
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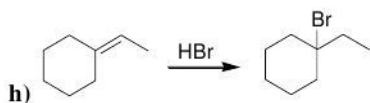
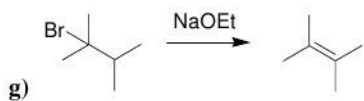
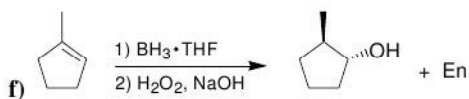
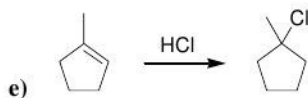
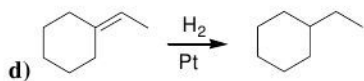


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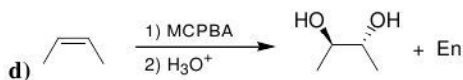
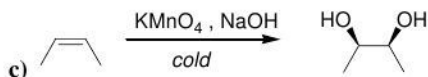
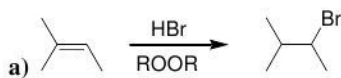


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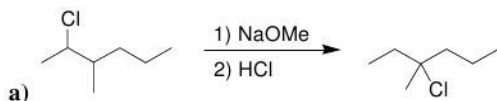




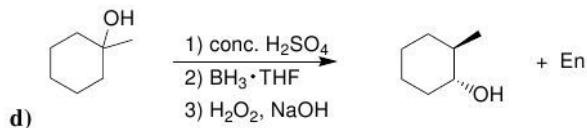
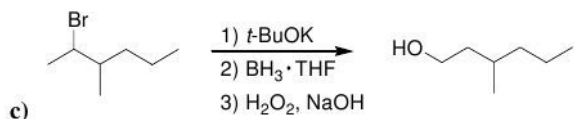
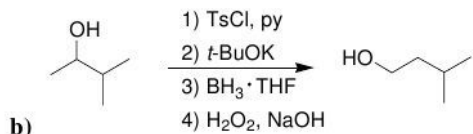
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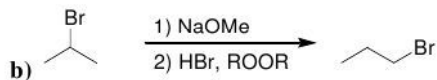
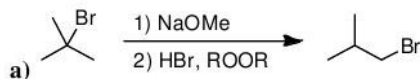
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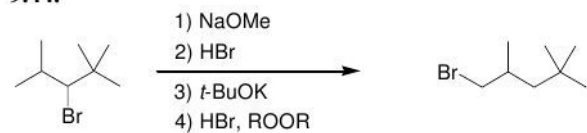




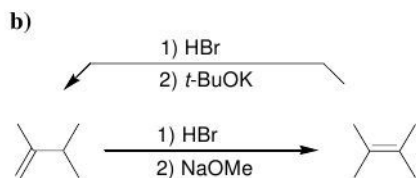
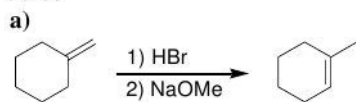
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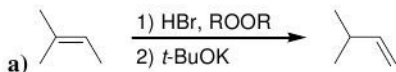
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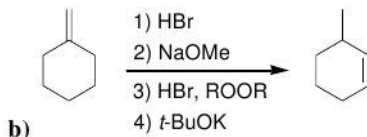
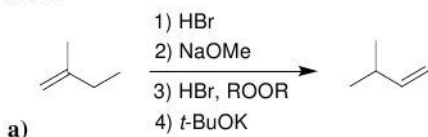
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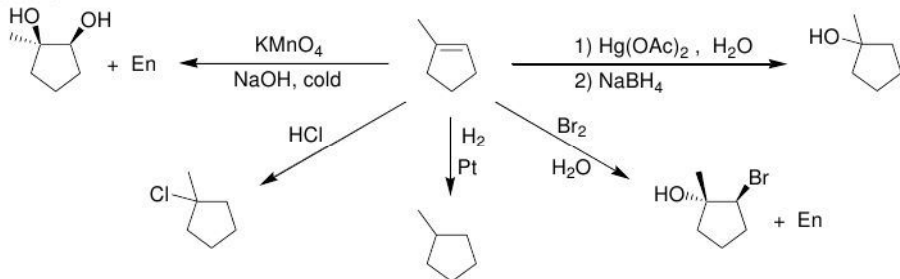


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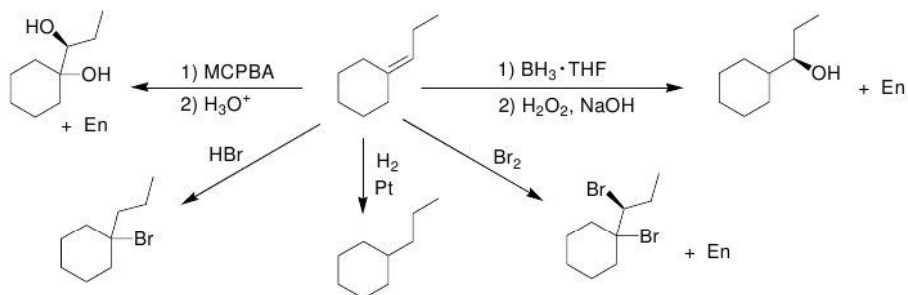


**9.48.** A reaction is only favorable if  $\Delta G$  is negative. Recall that  $\Delta G$  has two components:  $(\Delta H)$  and  $(-T\Delta S)$ . The first term  $(\Delta H)$  is positive for this reaction (two sigma bonds are converted into one sigma bond and one pi bond). The second term  $(-T\Delta S)$  is negative because  $\Delta S$  is positive (one molecule is converted into two molecules). Therefore, the reaction is only favorable if the second term is greater in magnitude than the first term. This only occurs at high temperature.

9.49.

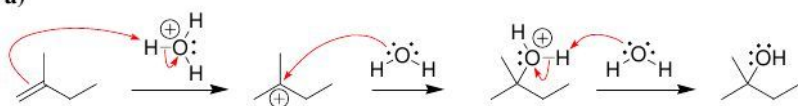


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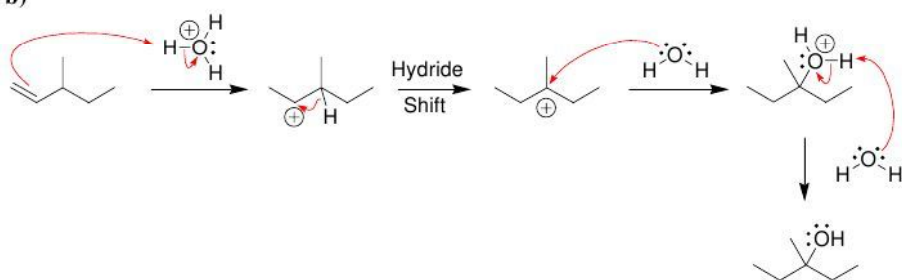


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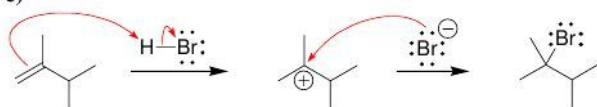
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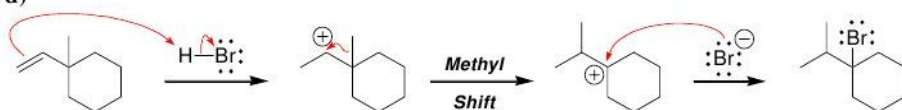
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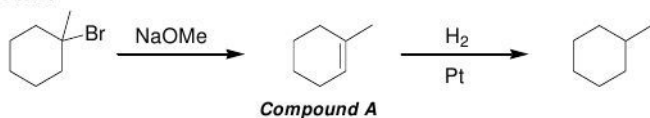
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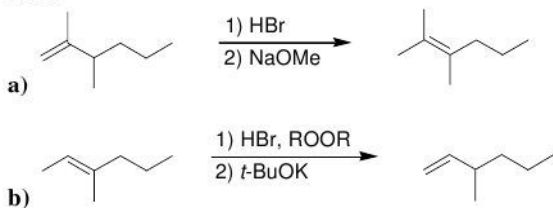
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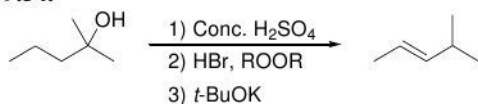
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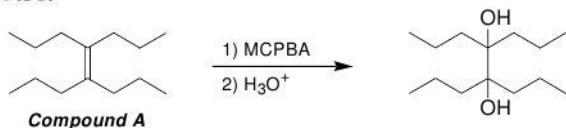
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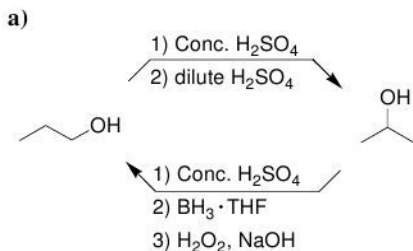
9.55. Two different alkenes will produce 2,4-dimethylpentane upon hydrogenation:



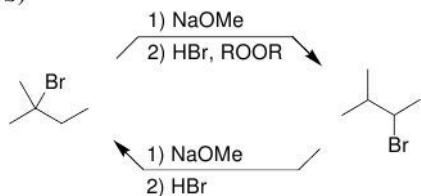
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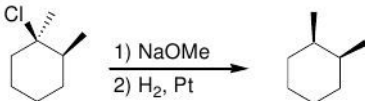
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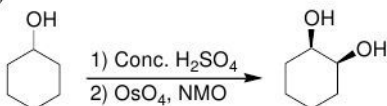
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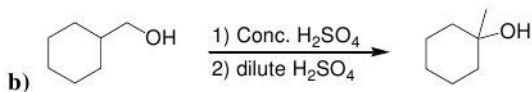
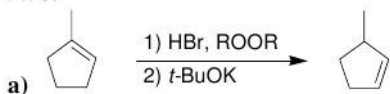
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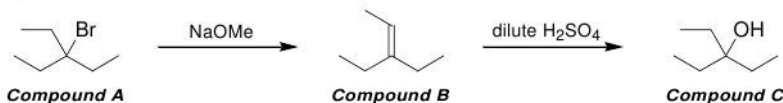
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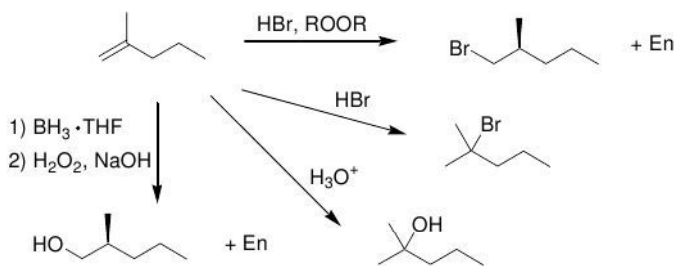
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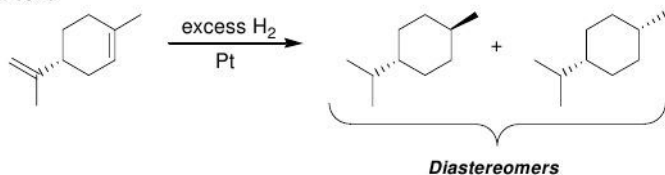
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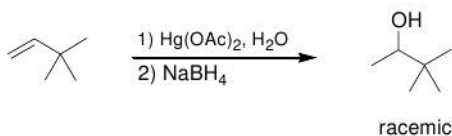
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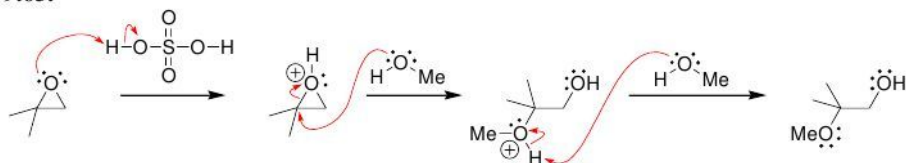
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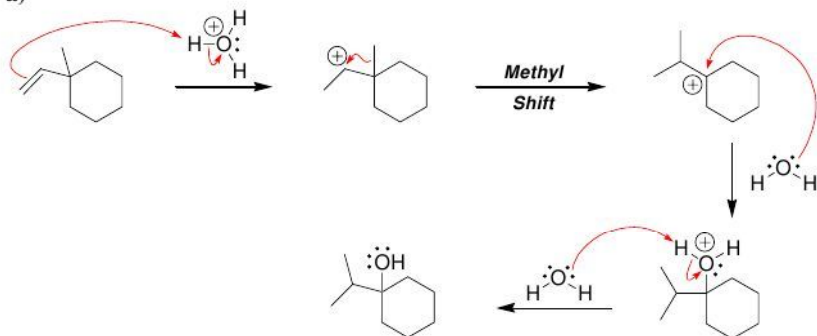


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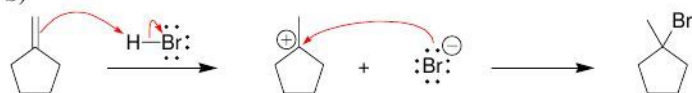


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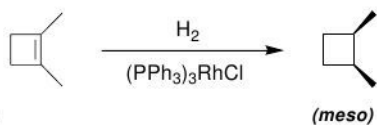
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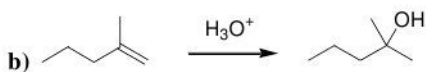
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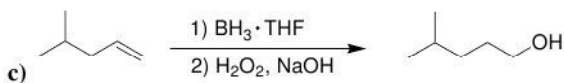
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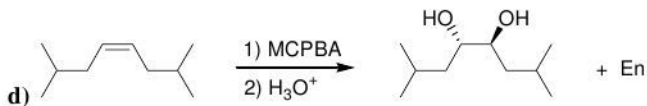
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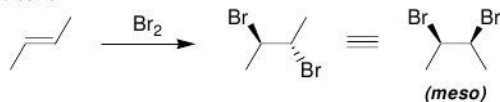
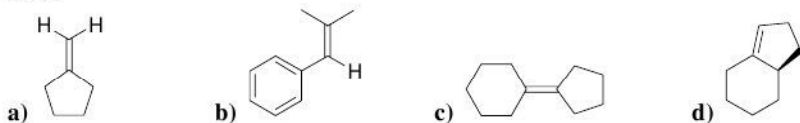
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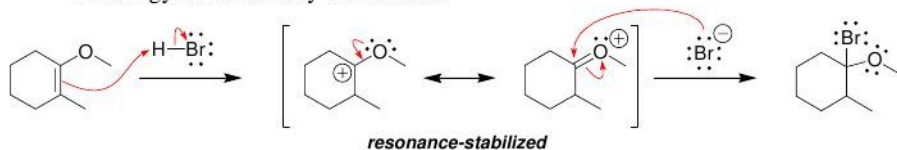
a) Hydroboration-oxidation gives an anti-Markovnikov addition. If 1-propene is the starting material, the OH group will not be installed in the correct location. Acid-catalyzed hydration of 1-propene would give the desired product.

b) Hydroboration-oxidation gives a syn addition of H and OH across a double bond. This compound does not have a proton that is *cis* to the OH group, and therefore, hydroboration-oxidation cannot be used to make this compound.

c) Hydroboration-oxidation gives an anti-Markovnikov addition. There is no starting alkene that would yield the desired product via an anti-Markovnikov addition.

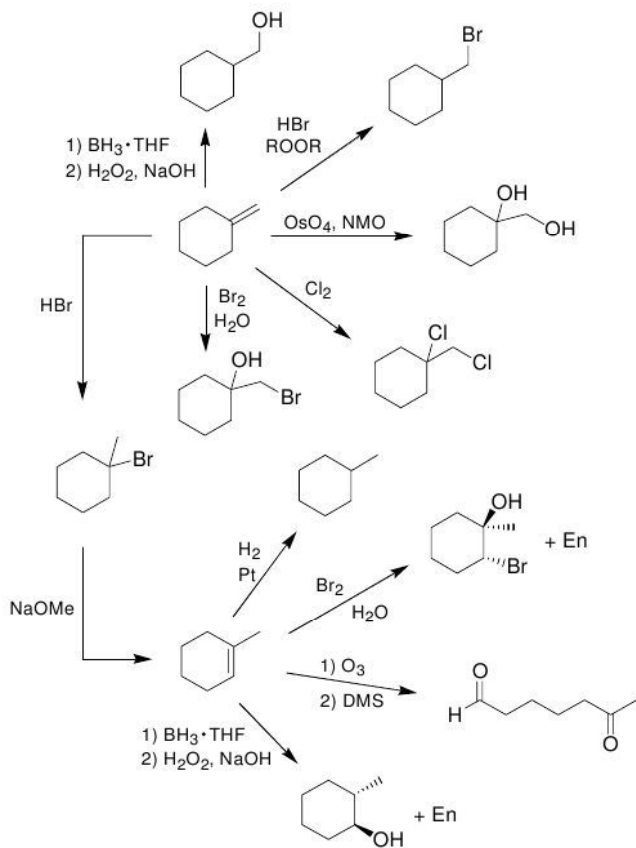
**9.67.****9.68.**

**9.69.** The reaction proceeds via a resonance-stabilized carbocation, which is even lower in energy than a tertiary carbocation:

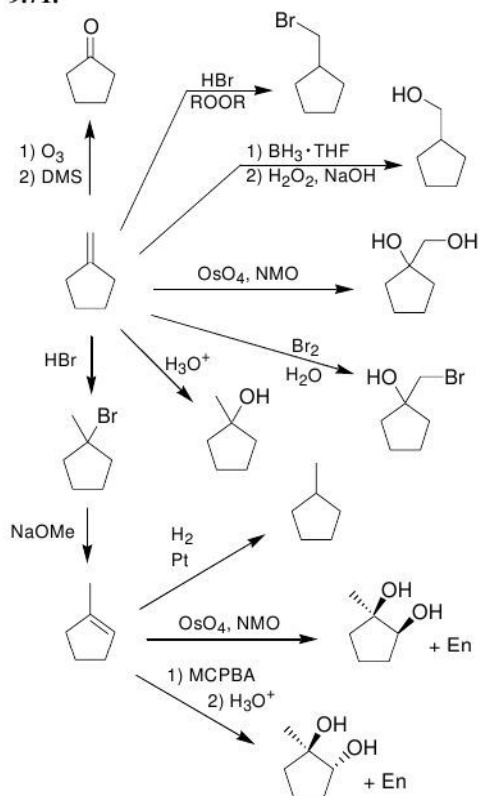




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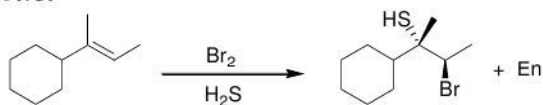


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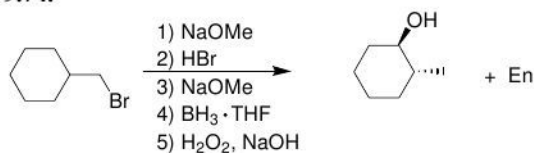


9.72. Addition of HBr to 2-methyl-2-pentene should be more rapid because the reaction can proceed via a tertiary carbocation. In contrast, addition of HBr to 4-methyl-1-pentene proceeds via a less stable, secondary carbocation.

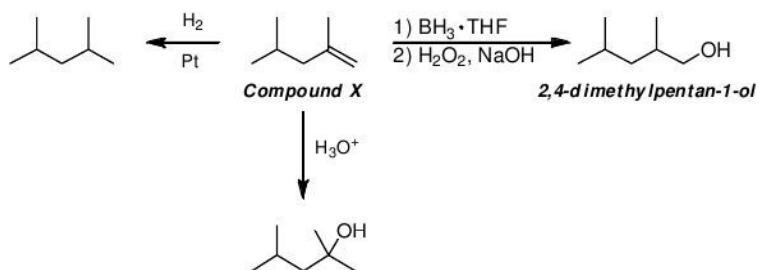
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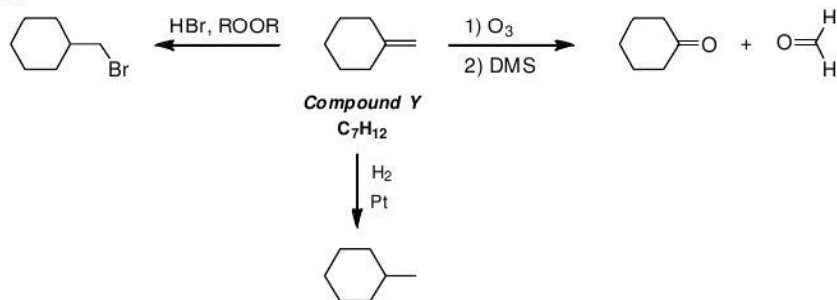
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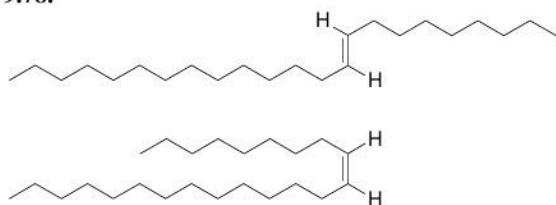
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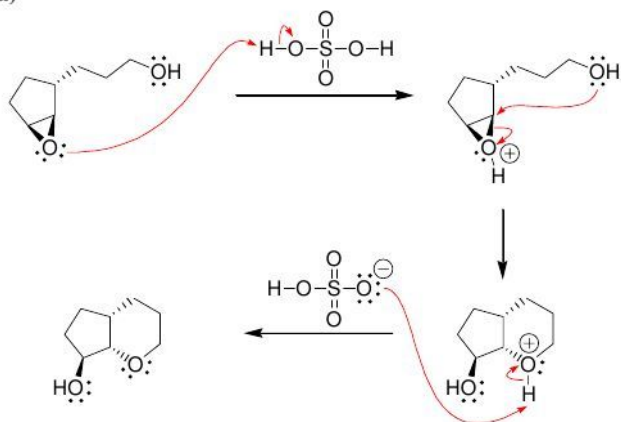


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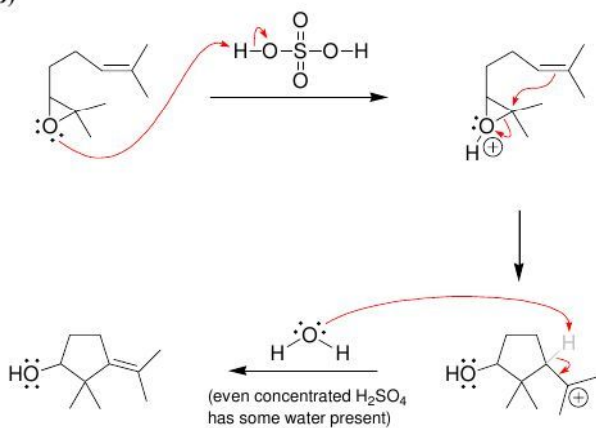


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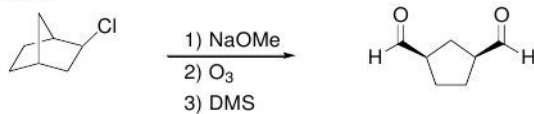
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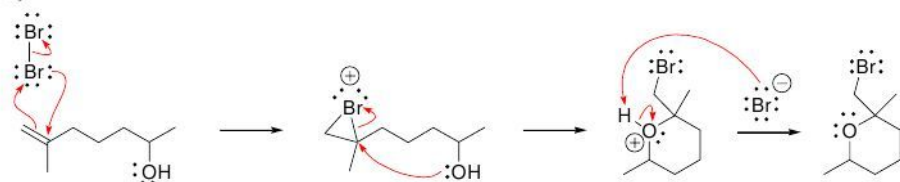


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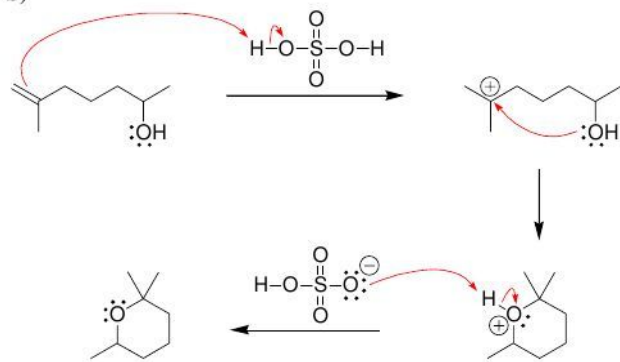


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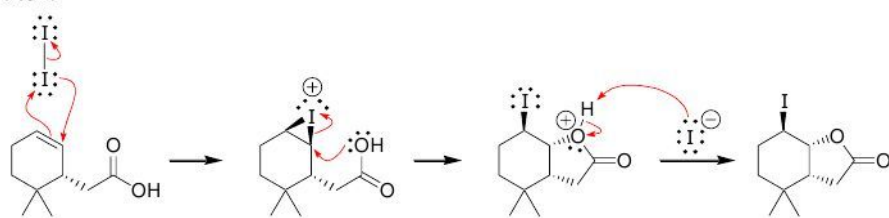
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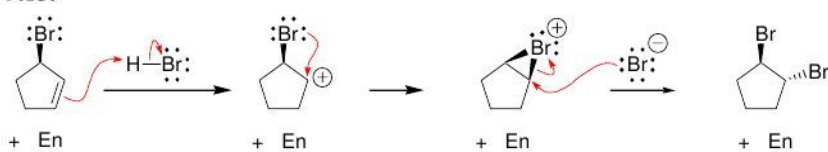
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# Chapter 10

## Alkynes

### Review of Concepts

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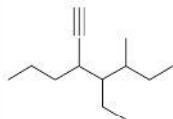
- A triple bond is comprised of three separate bonds: one \_\_\_\_ bond and two \_\_\_\_ bonds.
- Alkynes exhibit \_\_\_\_ geometry and can function either as bases or as \_\_\_\_.
- Monosubstituted alkynes are **terminal alkynes**, while disubstituted alkynes are \_\_\_\_ alkynes.
- Catalytic hydrogenation of an alkyne yields an \_\_\_\_.
- A **dissolving metal reduction** will convert an alkyne into a \_\_\_\_ alkene.
- Acid-catalyzed hydration of alkynes is catalyzed by mercuric sulfate to produce an \_\_\_\_ that cannot be isolated because it is rapidly converted into a ketone.
- Enols and ketones are \_\_\_\_, which are constitutional isomers that rapidly interconvert via the migration of a proton.
- When treated with ozone, followed by water, internal alkynes undergo oxidative cleavage to produce \_\_\_\_.
- Alkynide ions undergo \_\_\_\_ when treated with an alkyl halide (methyl or primary).

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 10. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

#### 10.1 Assembling the Systematic Name of an Alkyne

PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



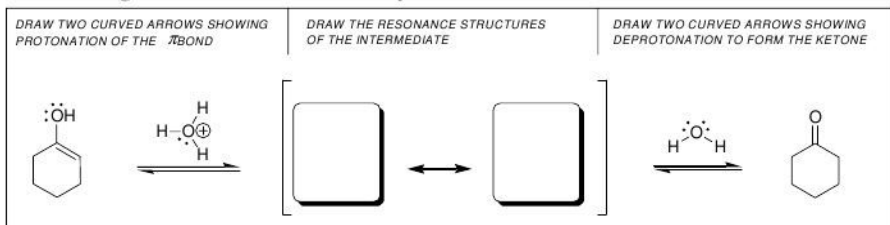
- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE

#### 10.2 Predicting the Position of Equilibrium for the Deprotonation of a Terminal Alkyne

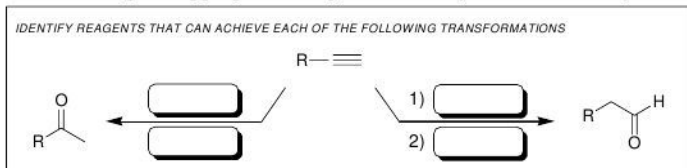
CIRCLE THE SIDE OF THE EQUILIBRIUM THAT IS FAVORED IN THE FOLLOWING ACID-BASE REACTION



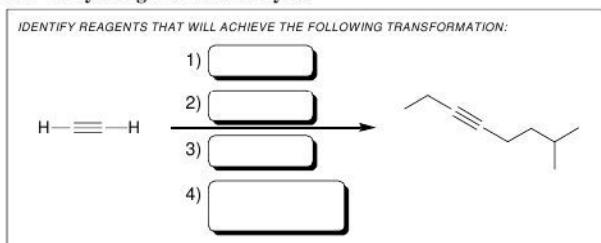
## 10.3 Drawing the Mechanism of Acid-Catalyzed Keto-Enol Tautomerization



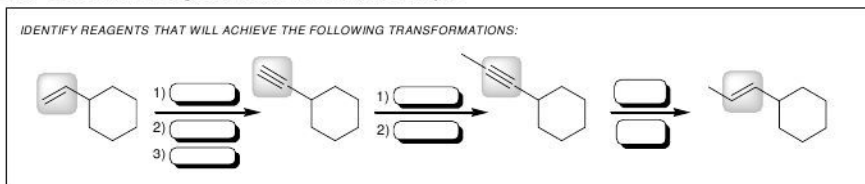
## 10.4 Choosing the Appropriate Reagents for the Hydration of an Alkyne



## 10.5 Alkylating Terminal Alkynes

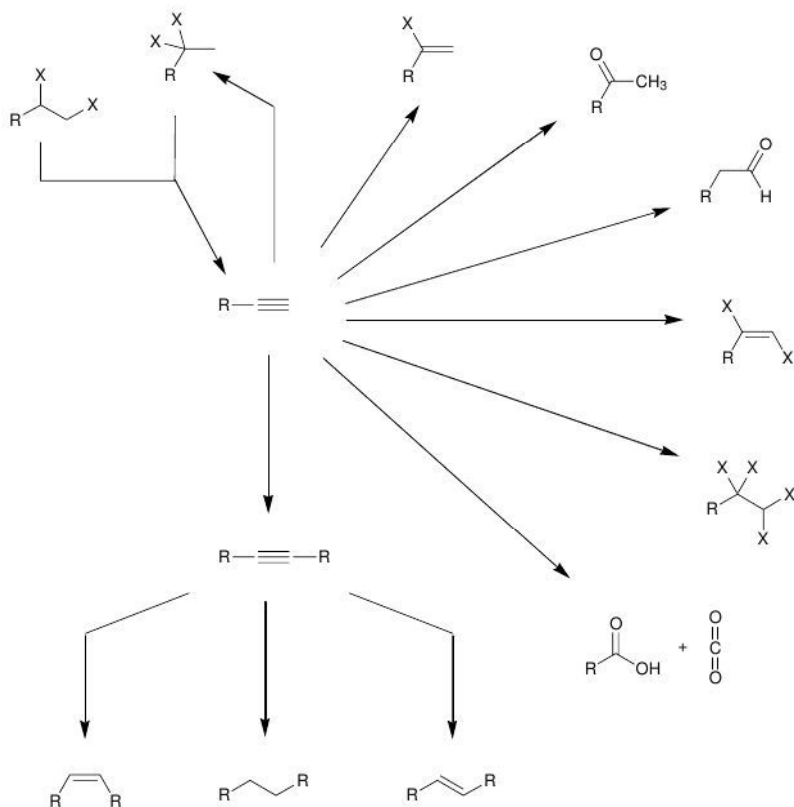


## 10.6 Interconverting Alkanes, Alkenes, and Alkyne



## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 10. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.



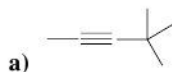
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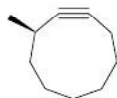
- 3-hexyne
- 2-methyl-3-hexyne
- 3-octyne
- 3,3-dimethyl-1-butyne



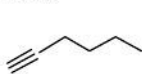
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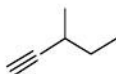
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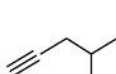
## 10.4.



1-hexyne



3-methyl-1-pentyne



4-methyl-1-pentyne



3,3-dimethyl-1-butyne

## 10.5.

- Yes,  $\text{NaNH}_2$  is strong enough of a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne.
- No,  $\text{NaOEt}$  is not strong enough of a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne.
- No,  $\text{NaOH}$  is not strong enough of a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne.
- Yes,  $\text{BuLi}$  is strong enough of a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne.
- Yes,  $\text{NaH}$  is strong enough of a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne.
- No,  $t\text{-BuOK}$  is not strong enough of a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne.

## 10.6.

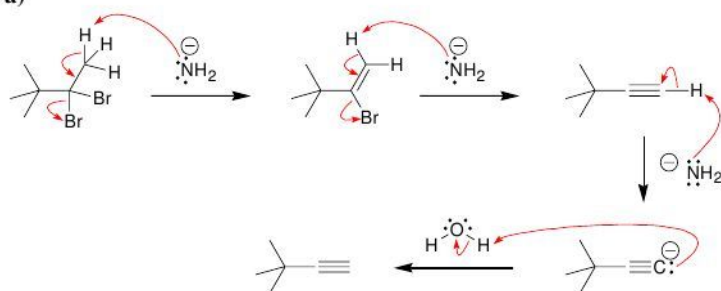
a) In the conjugate base of methyl amine ( $\text{CH}_3\text{NH}_2$ ), the negative charge is associated with an  $sp^3$  hybridized nitrogen atom. In the conjugate base of  $\text{HCN}$ , the negative charge is associated with an  $sp$  hybridized carbon atom. The latter is more stable, because the charge is closer to the positively charged nucleus. As a result,  $\text{HCN}$  is a stronger acid than methyl amine.

b) The  $pK_a$  of  $\text{HCN}$  is lower than the  $pK_a$  of a terminal alkyne. Therefore, cyanide cannot be used as a base to deprotonate a terminal alkyne, as it would involve the formation of a stronger acid.

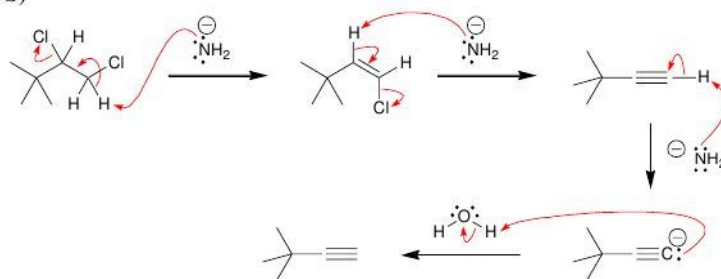


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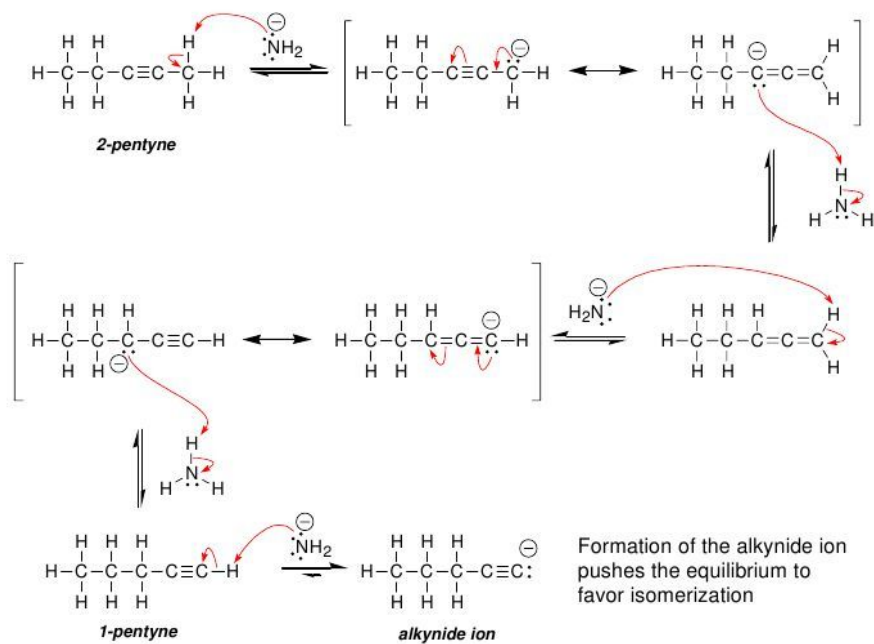
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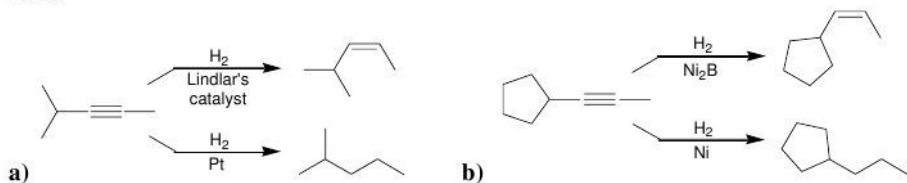
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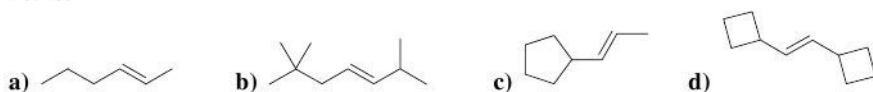
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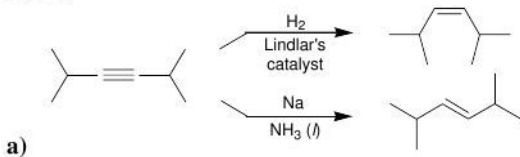
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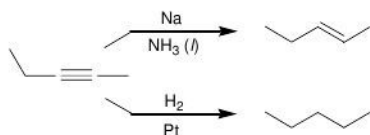
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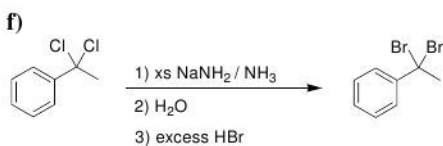
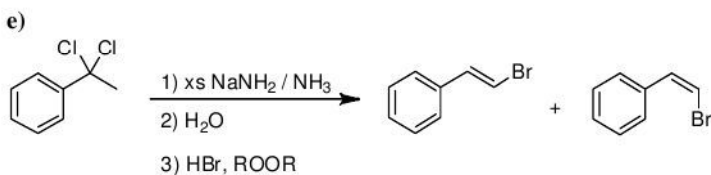
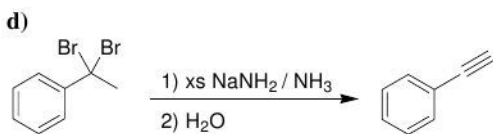
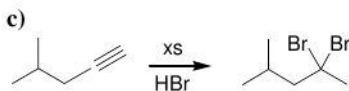
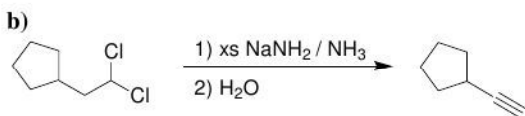
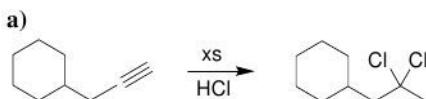


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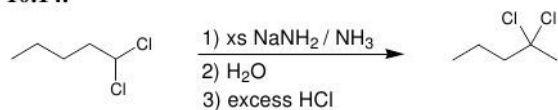


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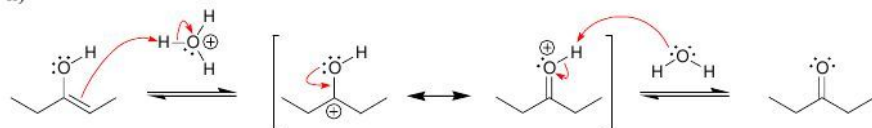


10.15. If two products are obtained, then the alkyne must be internal and unsymmetrical. There is only one such alkyne with molecular formula  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_8$ :

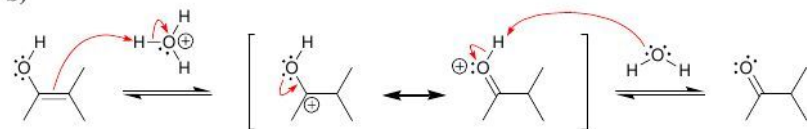


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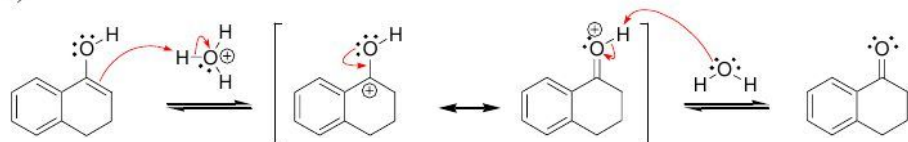
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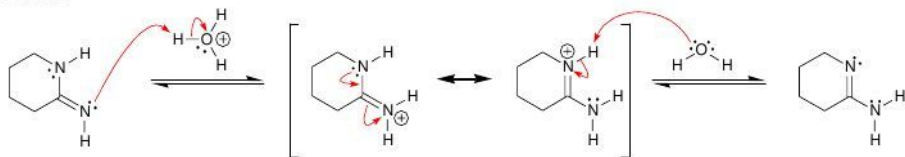
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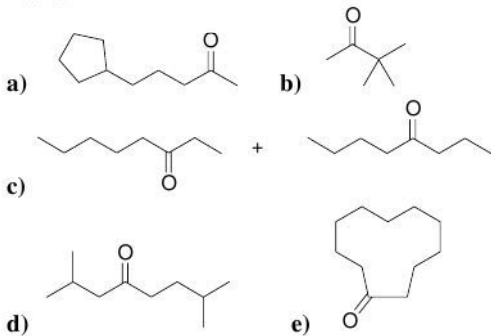
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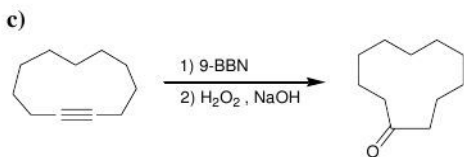
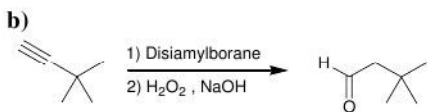
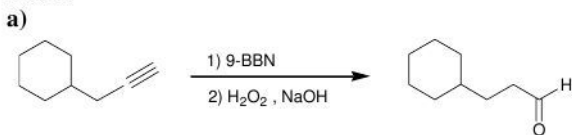
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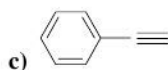
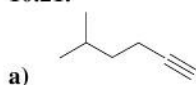
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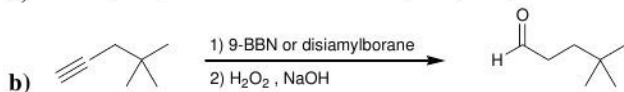
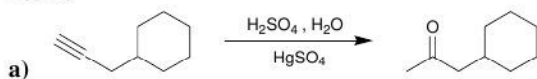
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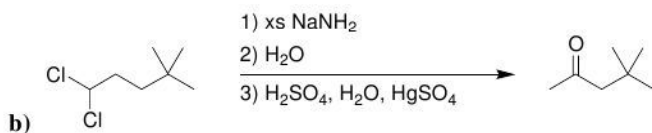
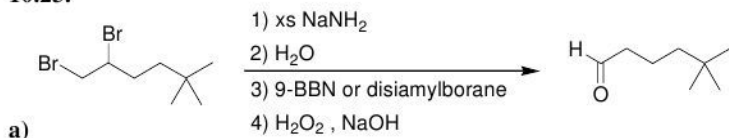
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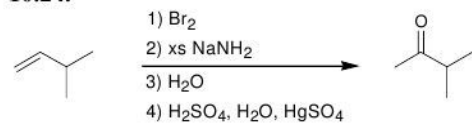
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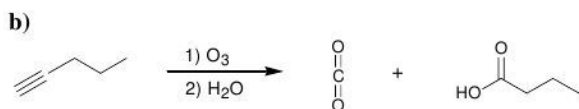
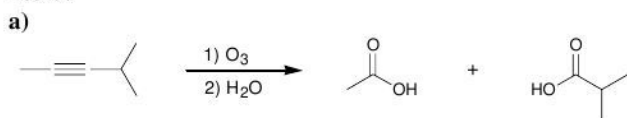
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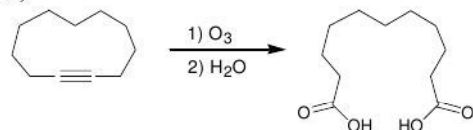
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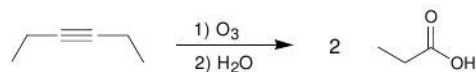
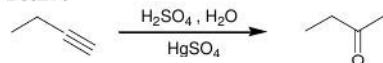
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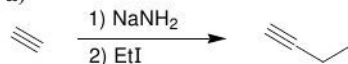
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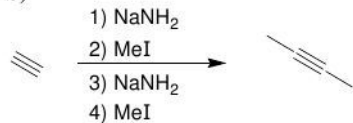
**10.26.** If ozonolysis produces only one product, then the starting alkyne must be symmetrical. There is only one symmetrical alkyne with molecular formula  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{10}$ :

**10.27.****10.28.**

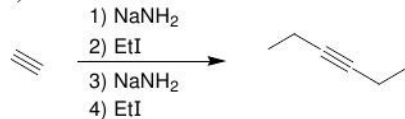
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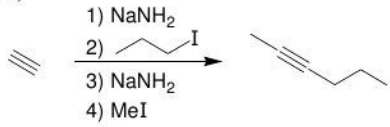

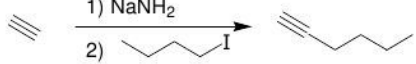

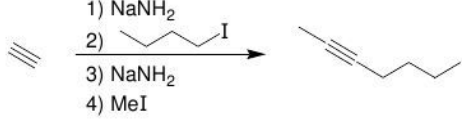

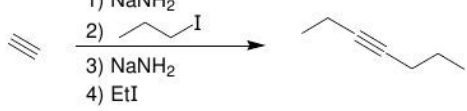

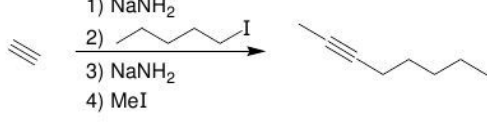
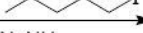
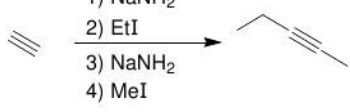
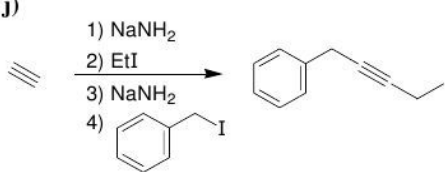
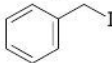
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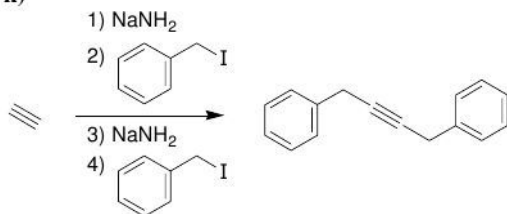
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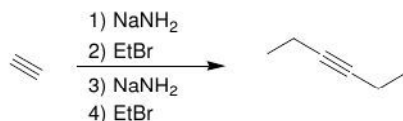
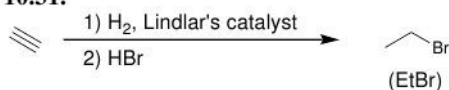
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**10.29.** This process would require the use of a tertiary substrate, which is not reactive toward  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ .

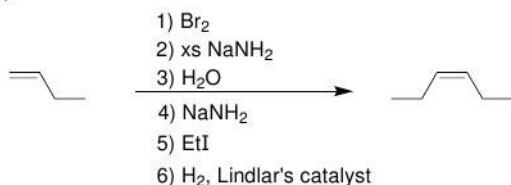
**10.30.** 4-octyne

**10.31.**



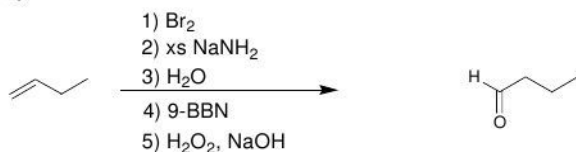
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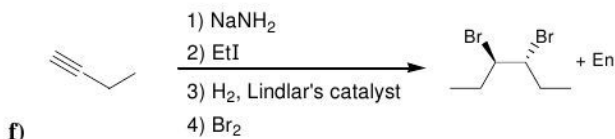
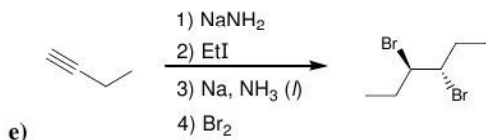
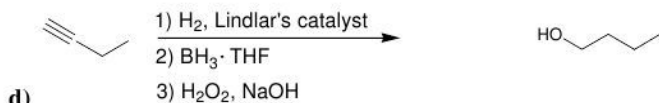
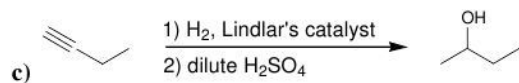
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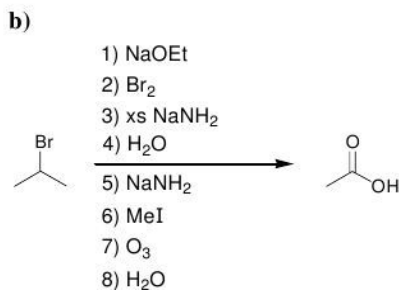
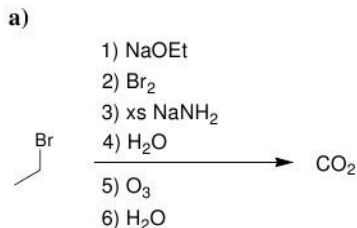
Note: The alkyne produced after step 3 does not need to be isolated and purified, and therefore, steps 3 and 4 can be omitted.

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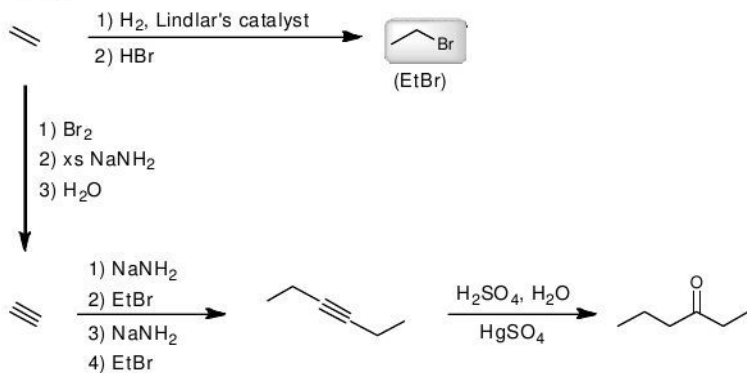




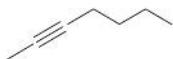
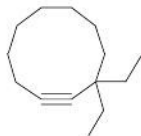
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Note: The alkyne produced after step 4 does not need to be isolated and purified, and therefore, steps 4 and 5 can be omitted.

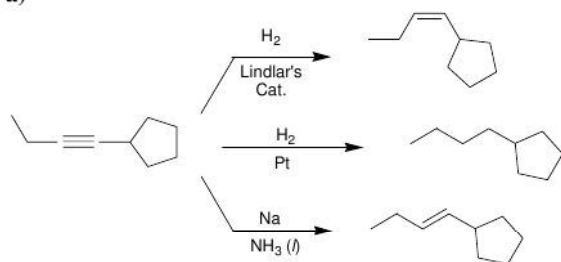
**10.34.****10.35.**

- 2,2,5-trimethyl-3-hexyne
- 4,4-dichloro-2-hexyne
- 1-hexyne
- 3-bromo-3-methyl-1-butyne

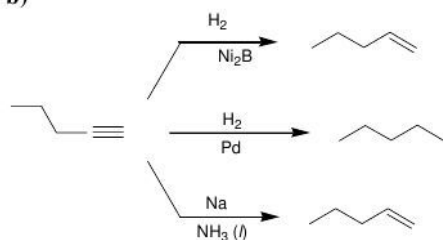
**10.36.****a)****b)****c)**

## 10.37.

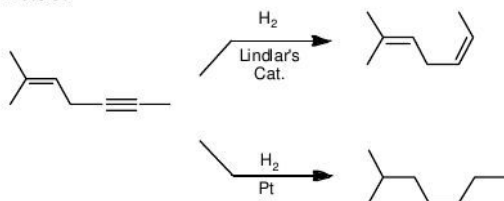
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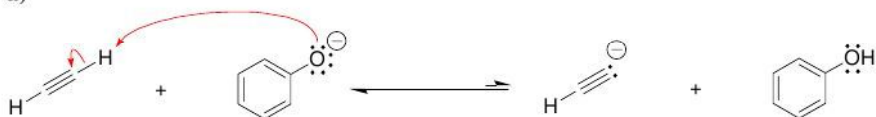


## 10.38.



## 10.39.

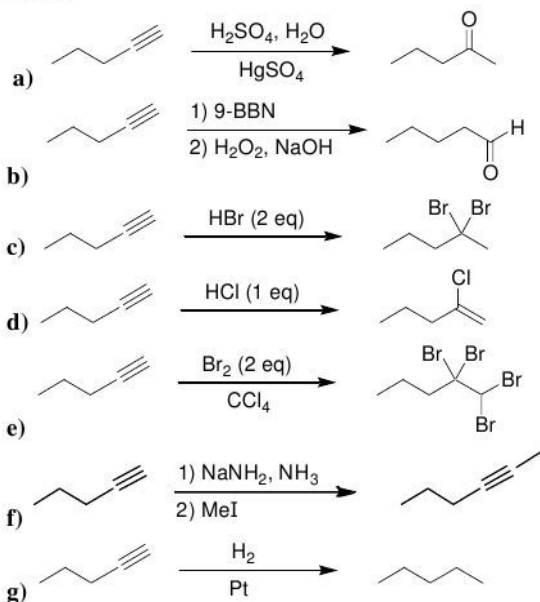
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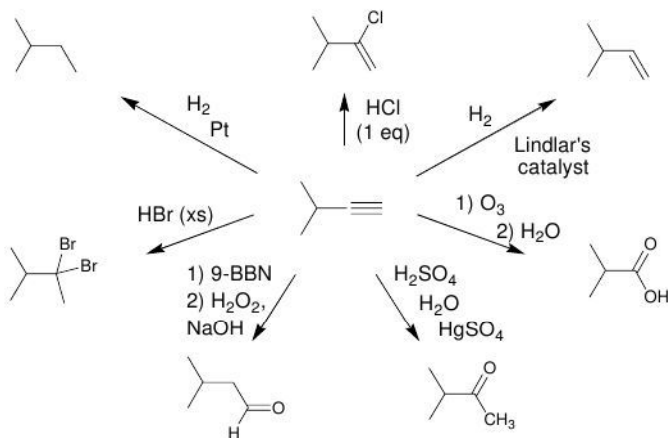
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10.40.



10.41.



10.42.

- a) No      b) Yes      c) Yes      d) No      e) Yes

## 10.43.

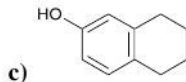
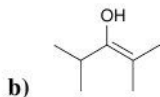
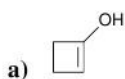
a) No. These compounds are constitutional isomers, but they are not keto-enol tautomers because the pi bond is not adjacent to the OH group.

b) Yes

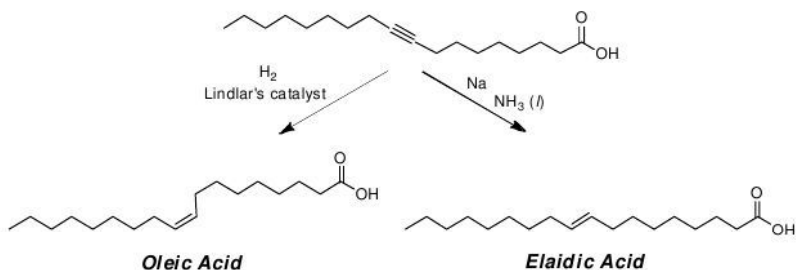
c) Yes

d) Yes

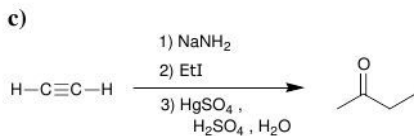
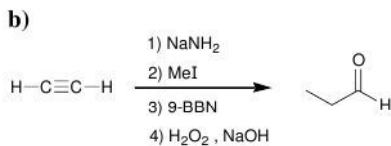
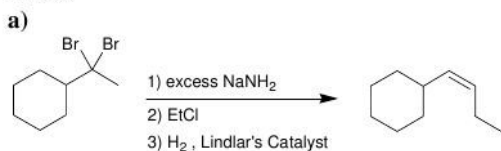
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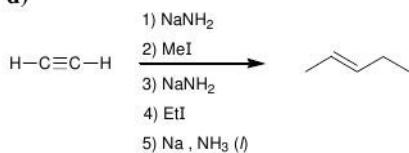
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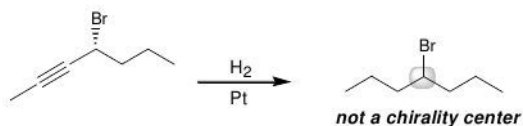
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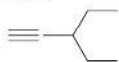


10.47. When (*R*)-4-bromohept-2-yne is treated with  $\text{H}_2$  in the presence of Pt, the asymmetry is destroyed and C4 is no longer a chirality center:



This is not the case for (*R*)-4-bromohex-2-yne.

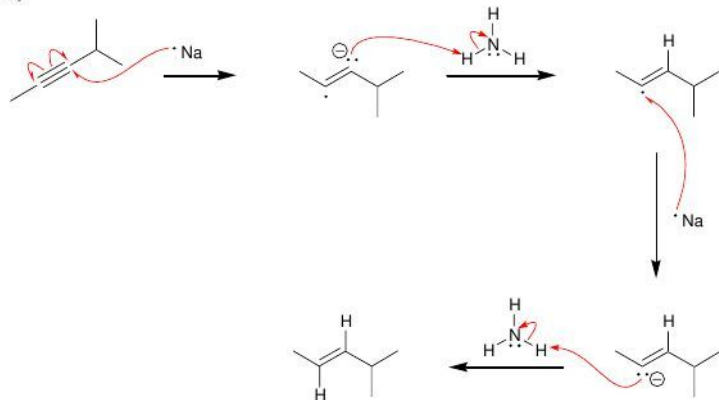
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3-ethyl-1-pentyne

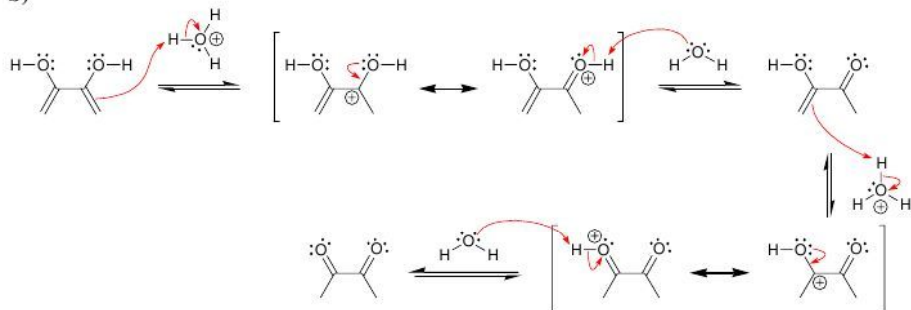
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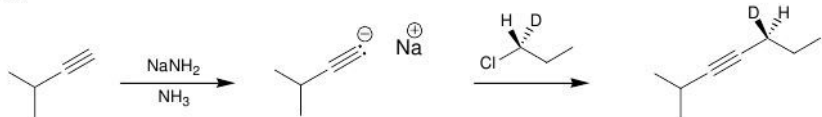




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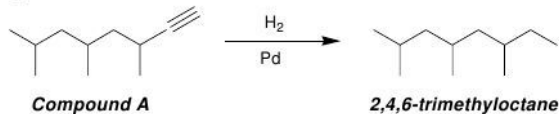


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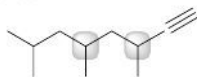


10.51.

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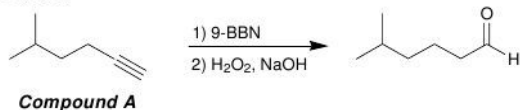


b) Compound A has two chirality centers:



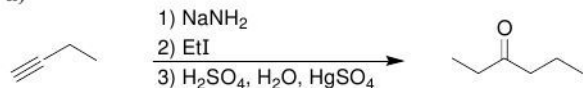
c) The locants for the methyl groups in Compound A are 3, 5, and 7, because locants are assigned in a way that gives the triple bond the lower possible number (1 rather than 7).

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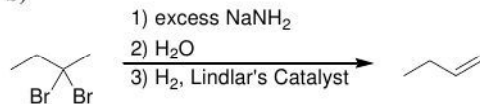


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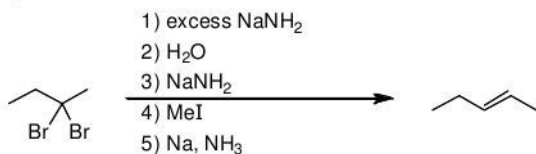
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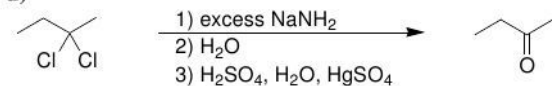


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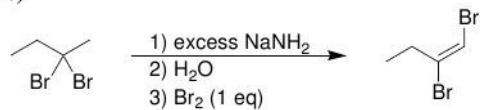


Note: The alkyne produced after step 2 does not need to be isolated and purified, and therefore, steps 2 and 3 can be omitted.

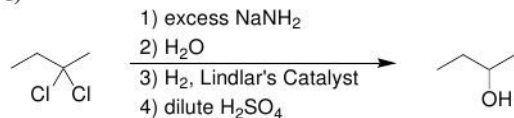
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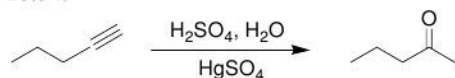
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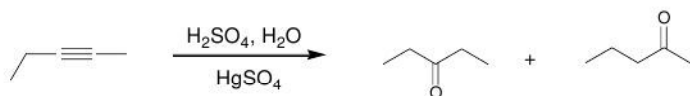


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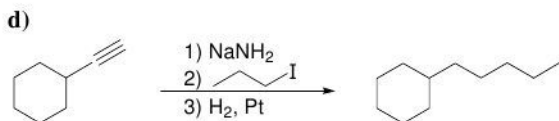
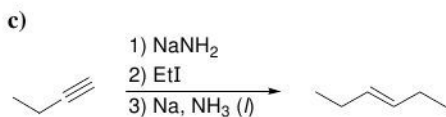
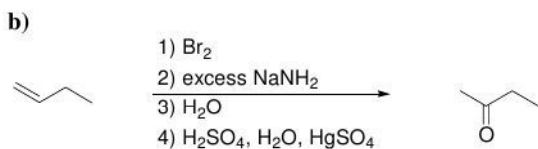
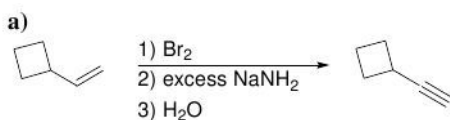


10.55.  $\text{H}_3\text{C}-\text{C}\equiv\text{C}-\text{H}$

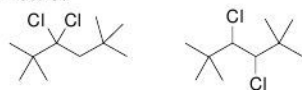
10.56. If two products are obtained, then the alkyne must be internal and unsymmetrical. There is only one such alkyne with molecular formula  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_8$ :



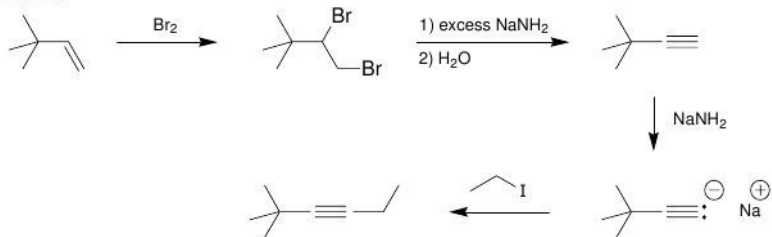
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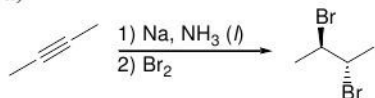


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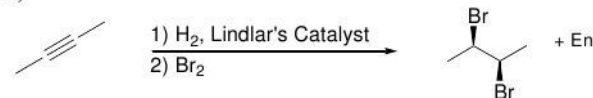


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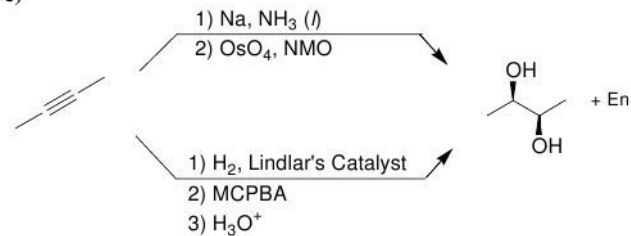
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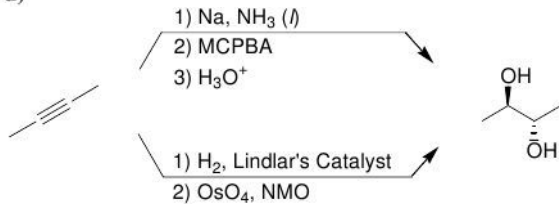
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c)



d)



e)

1) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

2) MeI

3) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

4) MeI

5) Na, NH<sub>3</sub> (*l*)6) OsO<sub>4</sub>, NMO1) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

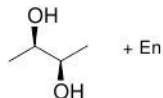
2) MeI

3) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

4) MeI

5) H<sub>2</sub>, Lindlar's Catalyst

6) MCPBA

7) H<sub>3</sub>O<sup>+</sup>

f)

1) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

2) MeI

3) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

4) MeI

5) Na, NH<sub>3</sub> (*l*)

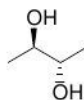
6) MCPBA

7) H<sub>3</sub>O<sup>+</sup>1) NaNH<sub>2</sub>

2) MeI

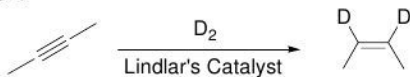
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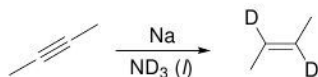
5) H<sub>2</sub>, Lindlar's Catalyst6) OsO<sub>4</sub>, NMO

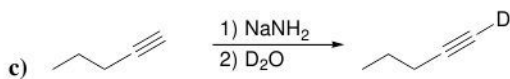
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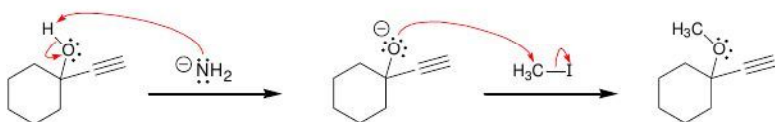


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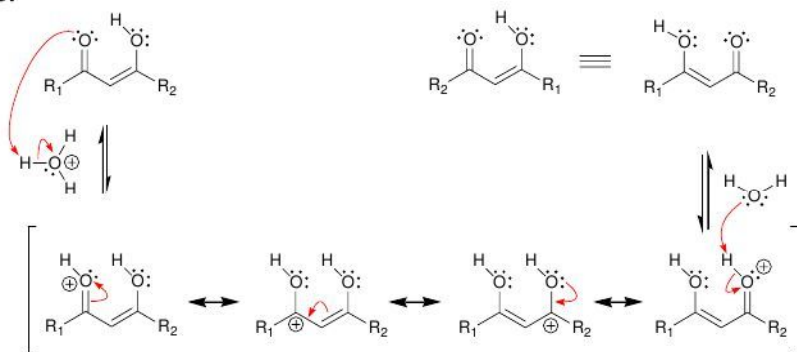




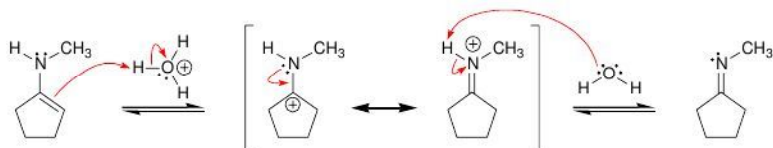
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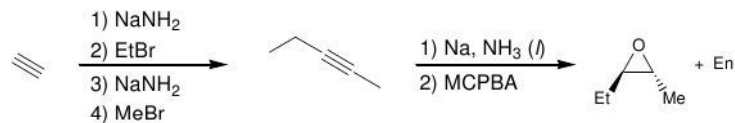
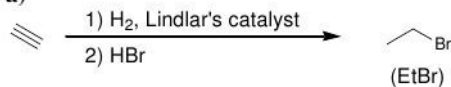


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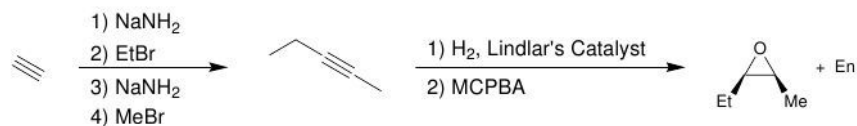
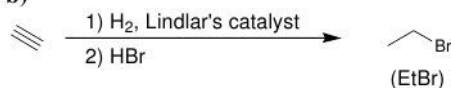


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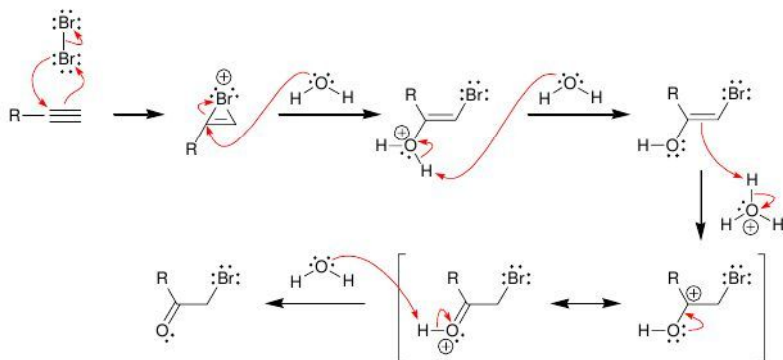
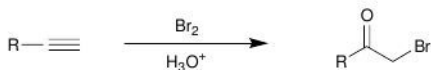
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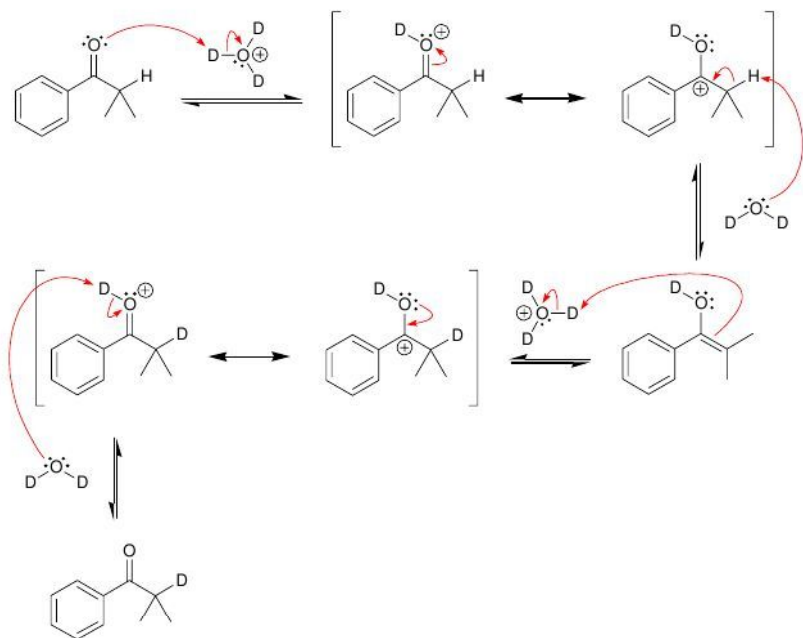
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## 10.66.



10.67.





# Chapter 11

## Radical Reactions

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 11. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

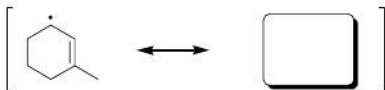
- Radical mechanisms utilize **fishhook arrows**, each of which represents the flow of \_\_\_\_\_.
- Every step in a radical mechanism can be classified as **initiation**, \_\_\_\_\_, or **termination**.
- A **radical initiator** is a compound with a weak bond that readily undergoes \_\_\_\_\_.
- A \_\_\_\_\_, also called a radical scavenger, is a compound that prevents a chain process from either getting started or continuing.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is more selective than chlorination.
- When a new chirality center is created during a radical halogenation process, a \_\_\_\_\_ mixture is obtained.
- \_\_\_\_\_ can undergo **allylic bromination**, in which bromination occurs at the allylic position.
- Organic compounds undergo oxidation in the presence of atmospheric oxygen to produce **hydroperoxides**. This process, called \_\_\_\_\_, is believed to proceed via a \_\_\_\_\_ mechanism.
- **Antioxidants**, such as BHT and BHA, are used as food preservatives to prevent autooxidation of \_\_\_\_\_ oils.
- When vinyl chloride is polymerized, \_\_\_\_\_ is obtained.
- Radical halogenation provides a method for introducing \_\_\_\_\_ into an alkane.

### Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 11. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

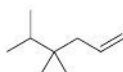
#### 11.1 Drawing Resonance Structures of Radicals

DRAW A RESONANCE STRUCTURE OF THE RADICAL BELOW:



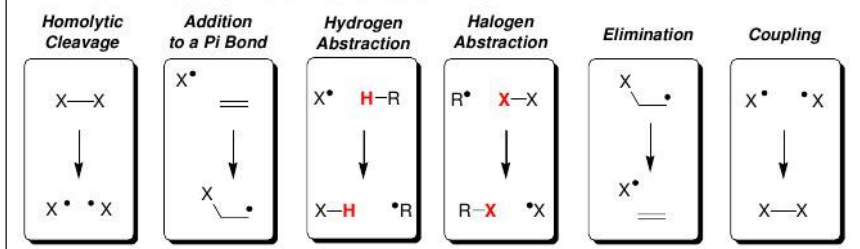
### 11.2 Identifying the Weakest C-H Bond in a Compound

IDENTIFY THE WEAKEST C-H BOND IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND:

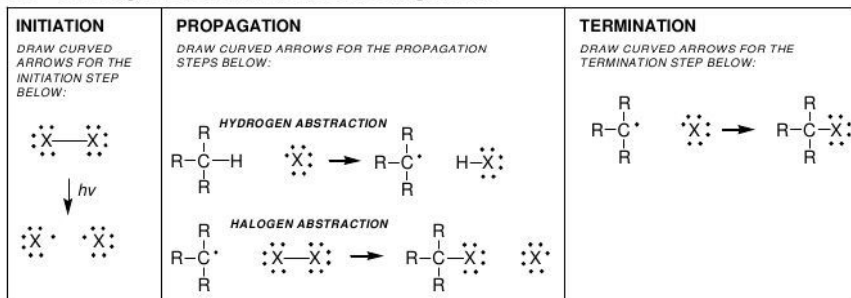


### 11.3 Identifying a Radical Pattern and Drawing Fishhook Arrows

DRAW THE CURVED ARROWS FOR EACH OF THE SIX STEPS SHOWN BELOW:

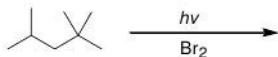


### 11.4 Drawing a Mechanism for Radical Halogenation



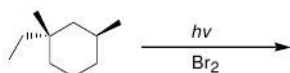
### 11.5 Predicting the Regiochemistry of Radical Bromination

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING MONOBROMINATION REACTION:



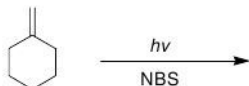
### 11.6 Predicting the Stereochemical Outcome of Radical Bromination

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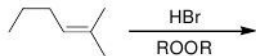
### 11.7 Predicting the Products of Allylic Bromination

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION:



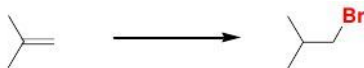
### 11.8 Predicting the Products for Radical Addition of HBr

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION:



## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 11. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Synthetically Useful Radical Reactions*.

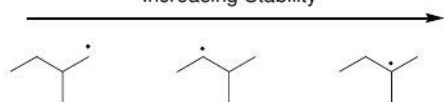


## Solutions

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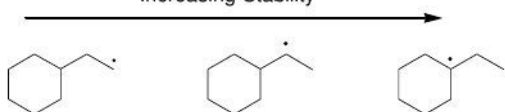
a) The tertiary radical is the most stable and the primary radical is the least stable.

Increasing Stability



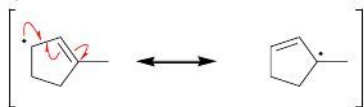
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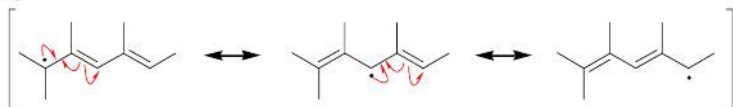


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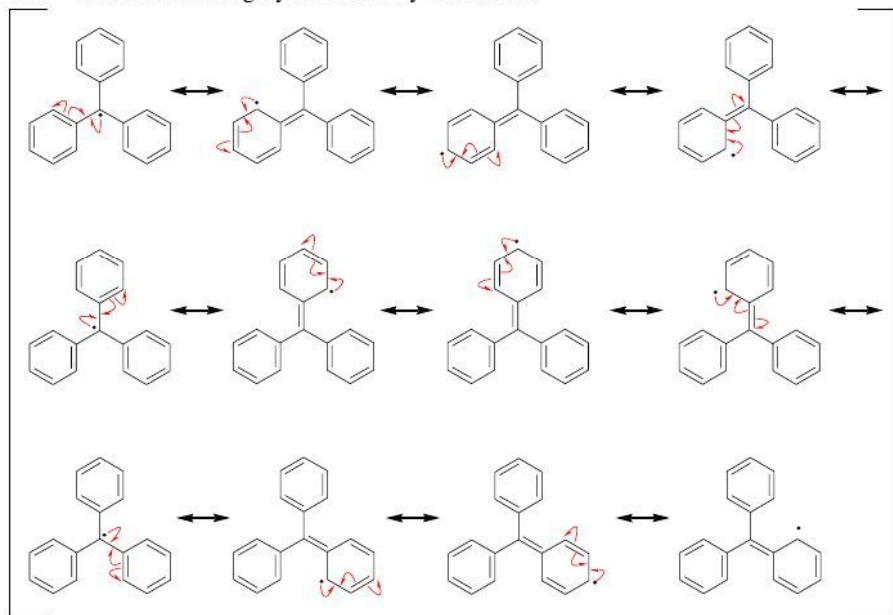
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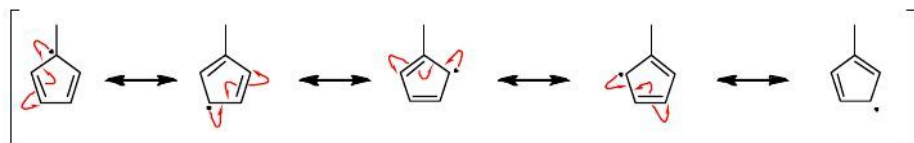
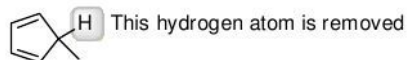
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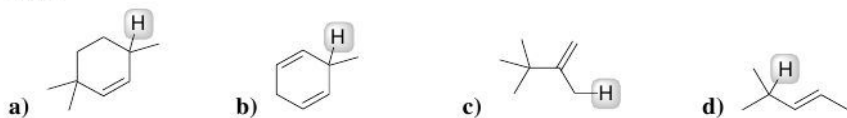
11.3. This radical is highly stabilized by resonance:



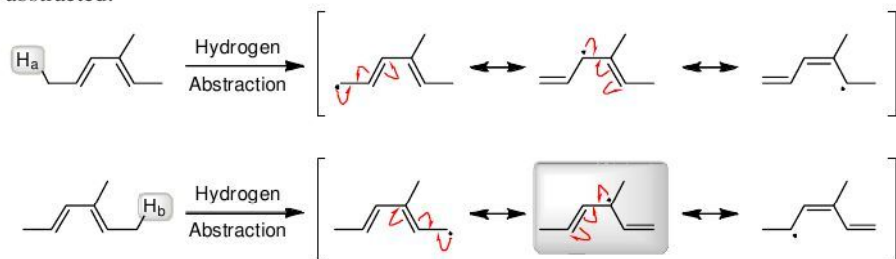
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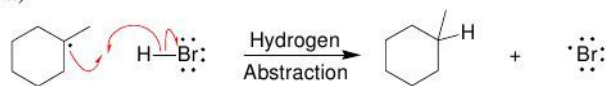
**11.6.** Draw the resonance structures of the radical that is formed when  $H_a$  is abstracted, and then draw the resonance structures of the radical that is formed when  $H_b$  is abstracted:



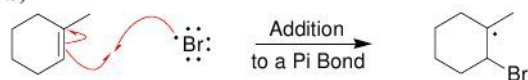
Compare the resonance structures in each case. Specifically, look at the middle resonance structure in each case. When  $H_b$  is abstracted, the middle resonance structure is tertiary, and the methyl group stabilizes the radical via electron donation. This stabilizing factor is not present when  $H_a$  is abstracted. Therefore, we expect the  $C-H_b$  bond to be slightly weaker than the  $C-H_a$  bond.

### 11.7.

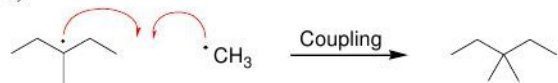
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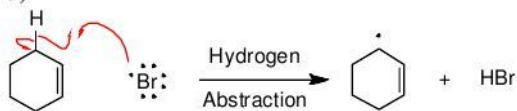
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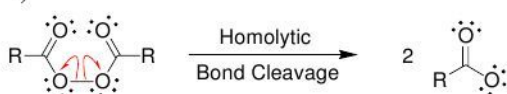
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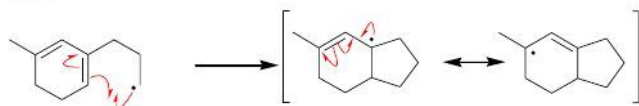
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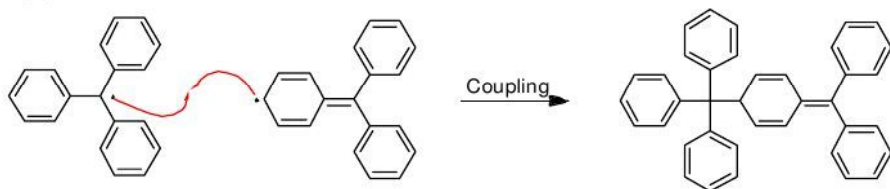
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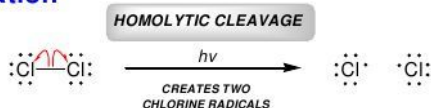
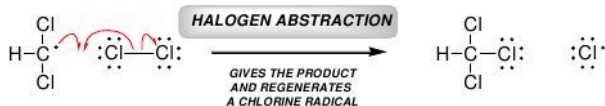


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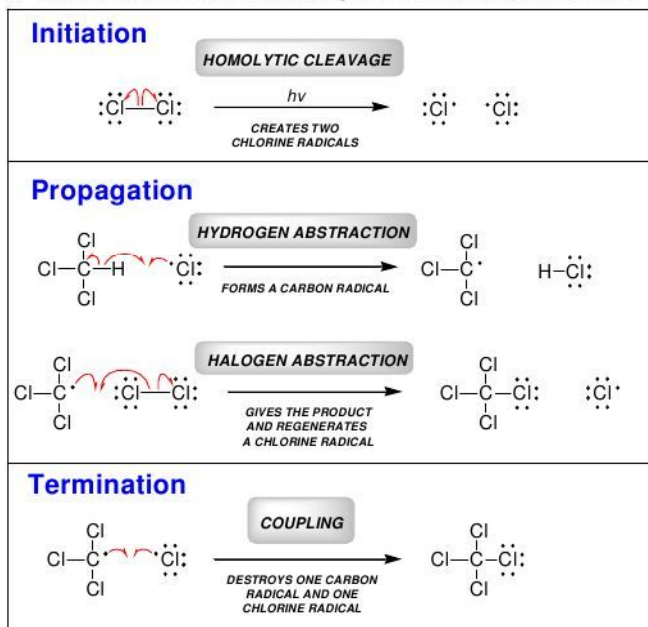


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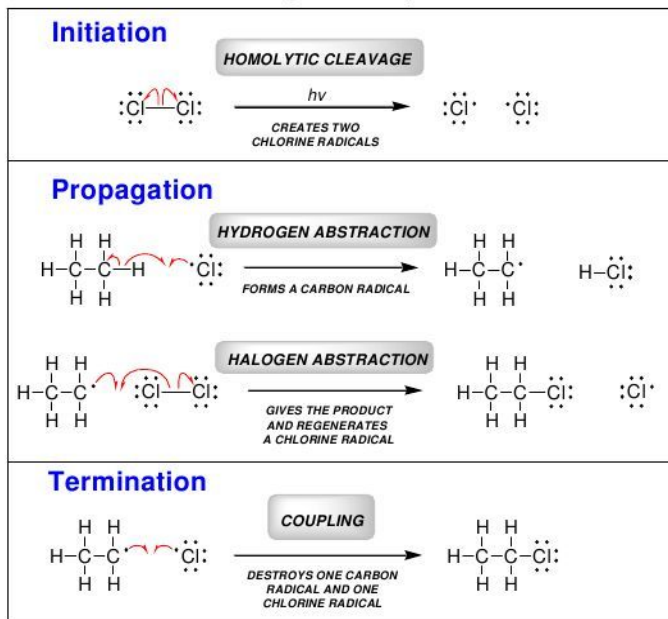
a) Chlorination of methylene chloride to produce chloroform:

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## b) Chlorination of chloroform to produce carbon tetrachloride:

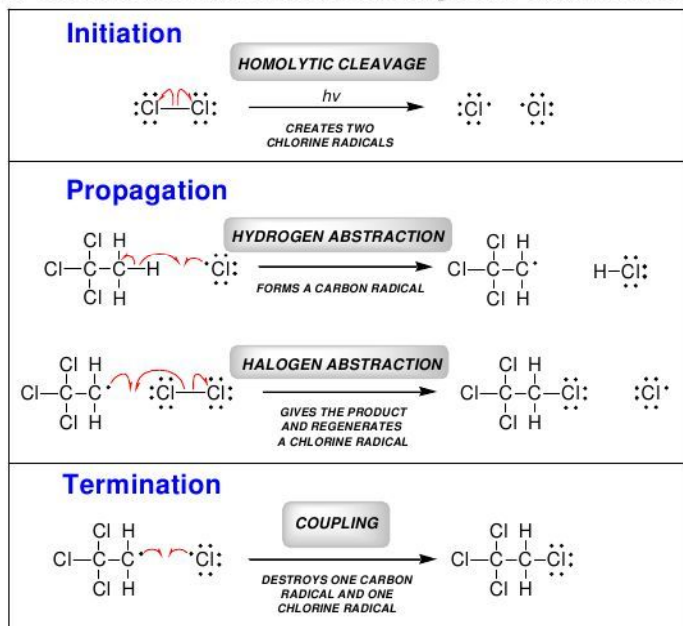


## c) Chlorination of ethane to produce ethyl chloride

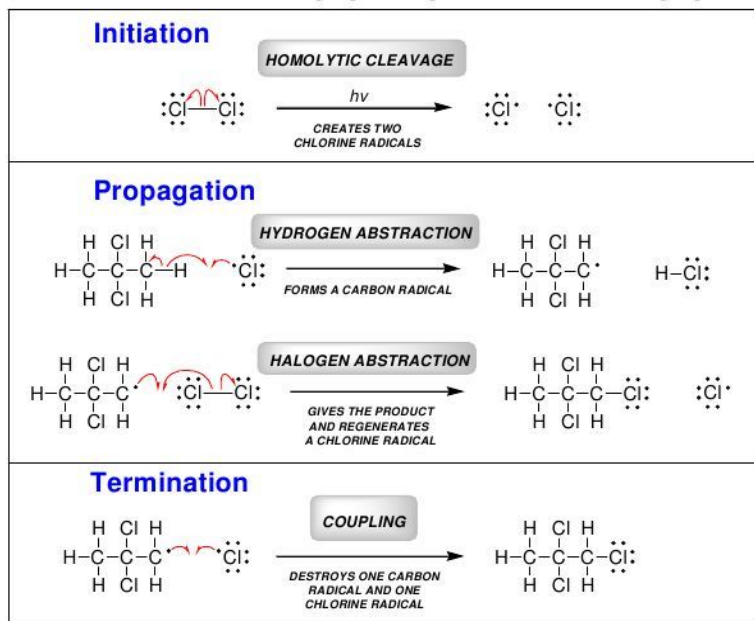




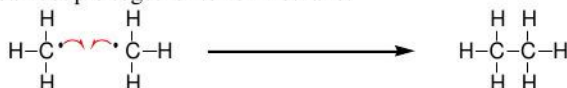
d) Chlorination of 1,1,1-trichloroethane to produce 1,1,1,2-tetrachloroethane:



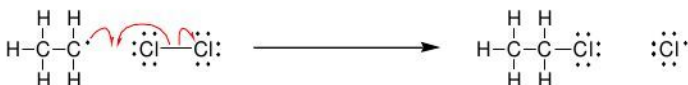
e) Chlorination of 2,2-dichloropropane to produce 1,1,2-trichloropropane:



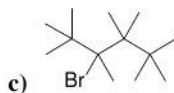
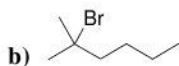
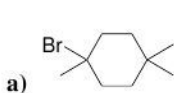
**11.11.** During the chlorination of methane, methyl radicals are generated. Two of these methyl radicals can couple together to form ethane:



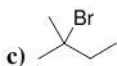
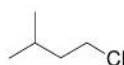
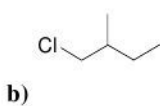
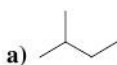
Ethane can then undergo hydrogen abstraction, followed by halogen abstraction to generate ethyl chloride:



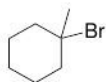
**11.12.**



**11.13.**



**11.14.**

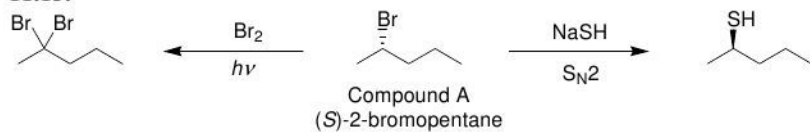


a) no chirality center

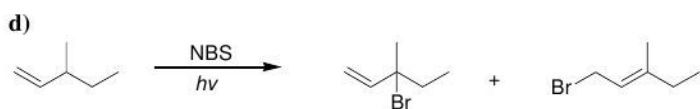
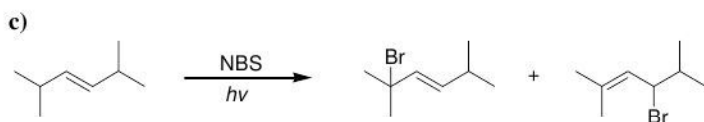
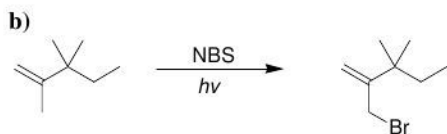
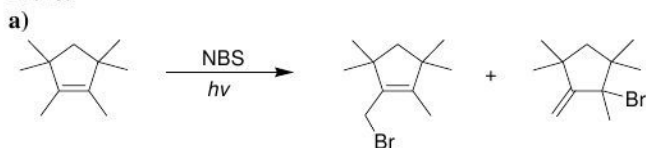




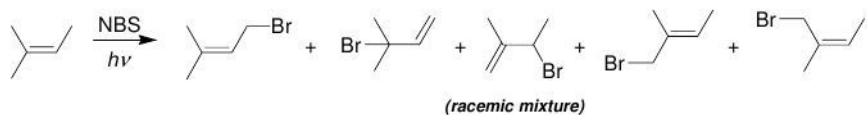
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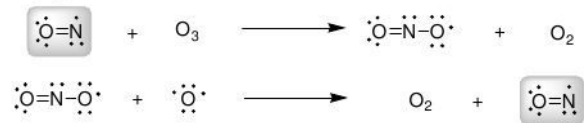
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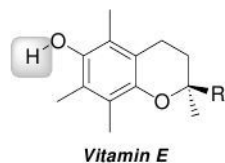
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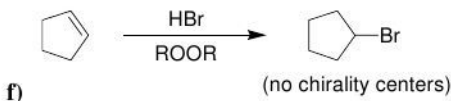
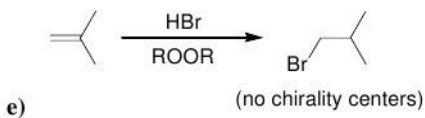
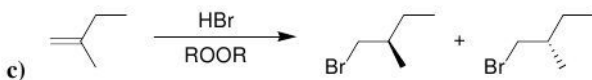
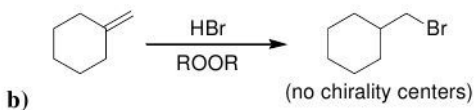
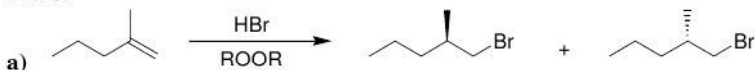
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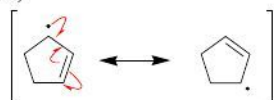
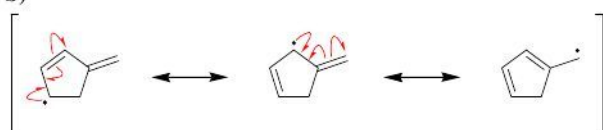
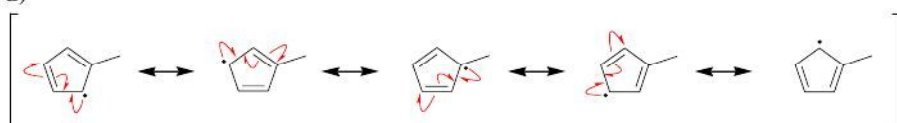
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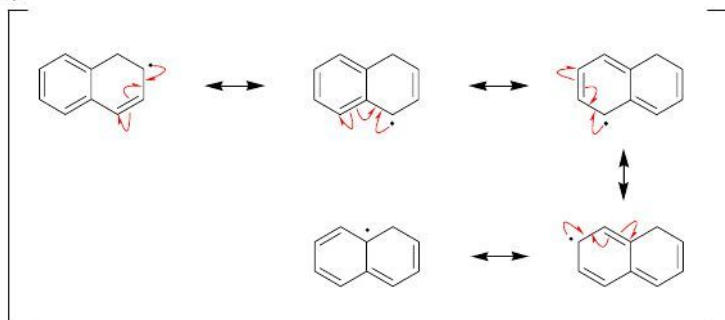
**11.21.**

a) One chemical entity is being converted into two chemical entities, which increases the entropy of the system.

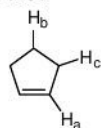
b) Recall that  $\Delta G$  has two components:  $(\Delta H)$  and  $(-T\Delta S)$ . The magnitude of the latter term is dependent on the temperature. At high temperature, the latter term dominates over the former, and the reaction is thermodynamically favorable. However, at low temperature, the first term (enthalpy) dominates, and the reaction is no longer thermodynamically favored.

**11.22.****a)****b)****c)****d)**

e)



11.23.



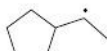
Increasing bond strength

abstraction of  $H_a$  generates an unstable vinyl radicalabstraction of  $H_c$  generates a resonance-stabilized radical

11.24.

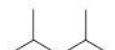
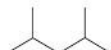
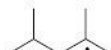
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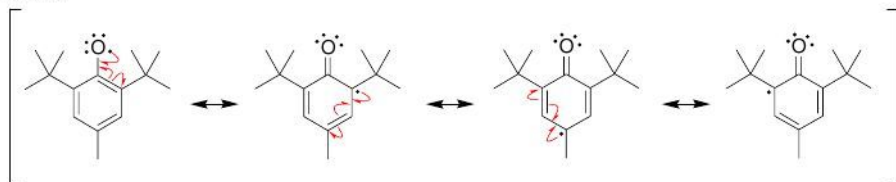
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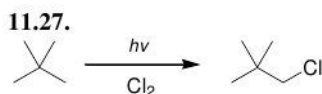
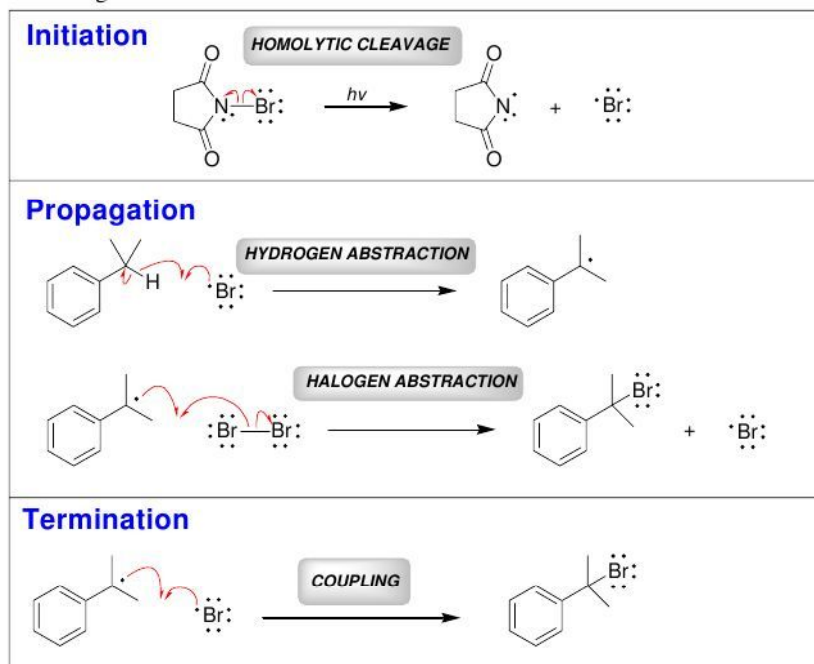
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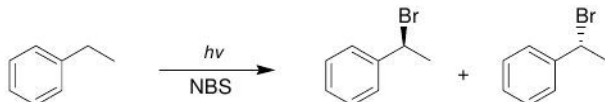
11.25.



**11.26.** The benzylic position is selectively brominated because the benzylic C-H bond is the weakest bond. The benzylic hydrogen atom is the only hydrogen atom that can be abstracted to generate a resonance-stabilized radical.

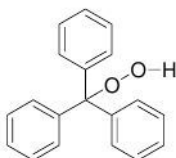


**11.28.** Selective bromination at the benzylic position generates a new chirality center. The intermediate benzylic radical is expected to be attacked from either face of the planar radical with equal likelihood, giving rise to a racemic mixture of enantiomers:



- 11.29.**
- These radicals are tertiary, and they are stabilized by resonance.
  - Loss of nitrogen gas would result in the formation of vinyl radicals, which are too unstable to form under normal conditions:

11.30.



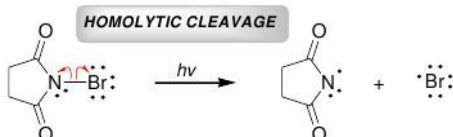
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b) Hydrogen abstraction leads to an exceptionally stable radical, with many, many resonance structures (see problem 11.3).

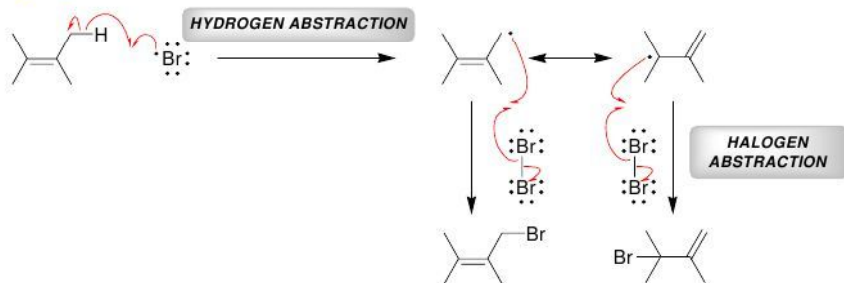
c) Phenol acts as a radical scavenger, thereby preventing the chain process from taking off.

11.31.

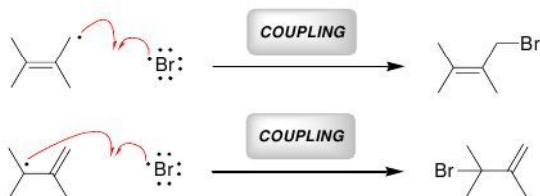
### Initiation



### Propagation



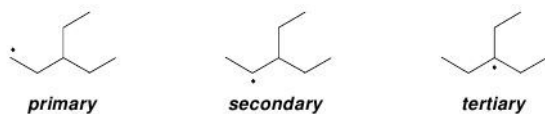
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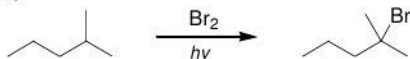
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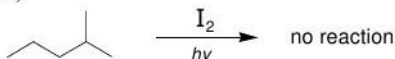


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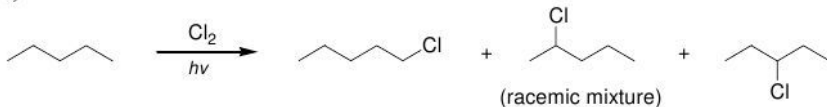
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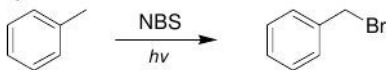
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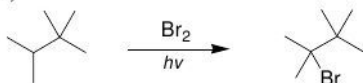
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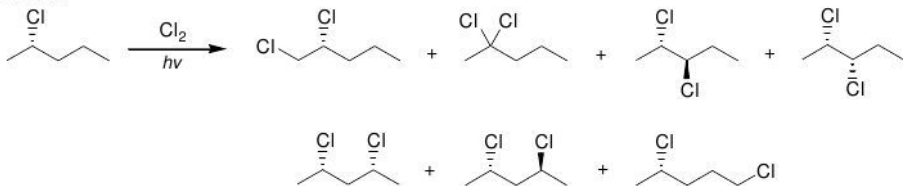
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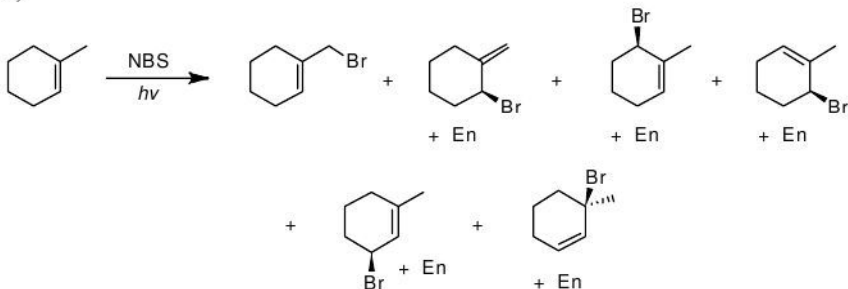


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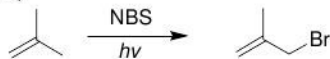


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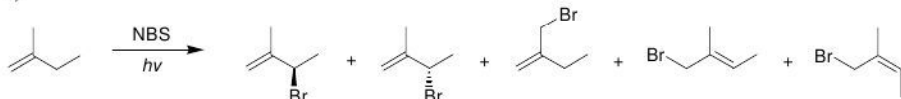
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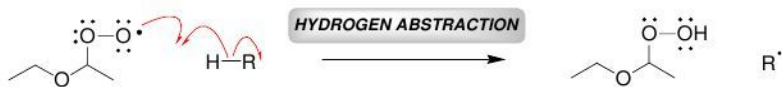
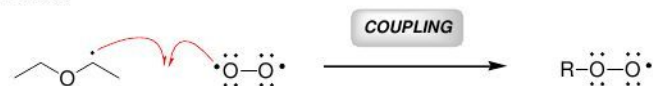
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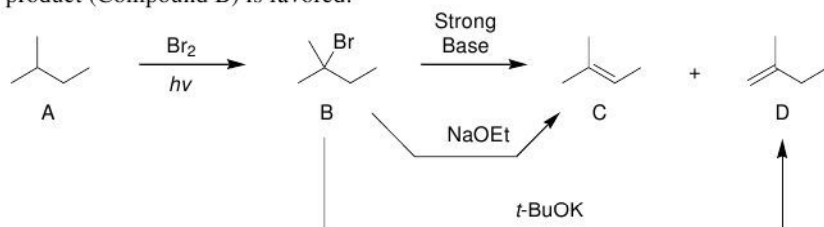
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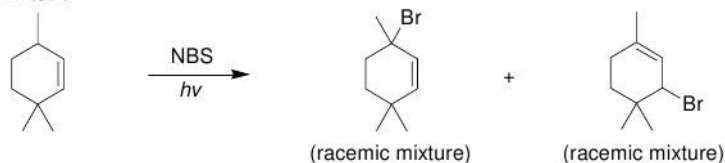
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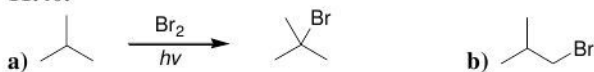
**11.38.** When Compound B is treated with a sterically hindered base, the Hofmann product (Compound D) is favored. When treated with sodium ethoxide, the Zaitsev product (Compound C) is favored:



**11.39.**



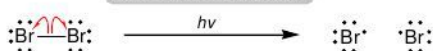
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### Initiation

#### HOMOLYTIC CLEAVAGE



### Propagation

#### HYDROGEN ABSTRACTION



#### HALOGEN ABSTRACTION

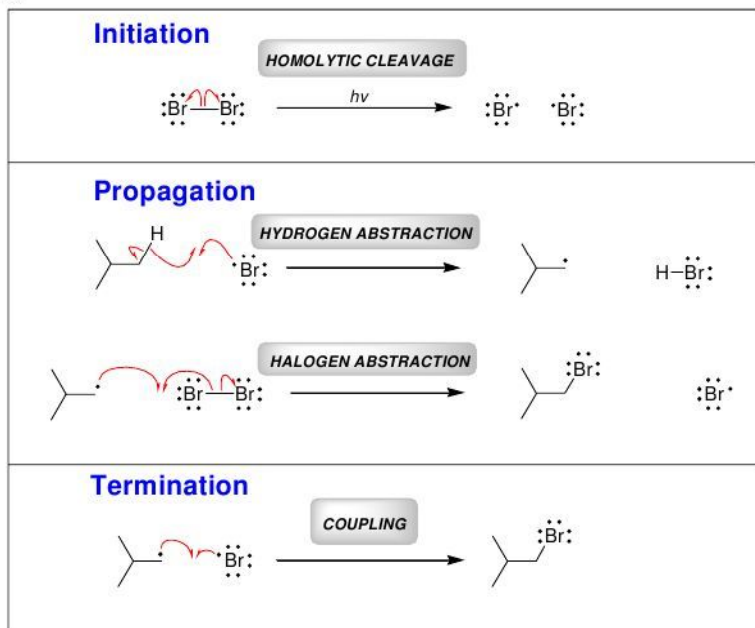


### Termination

#### COUPLING



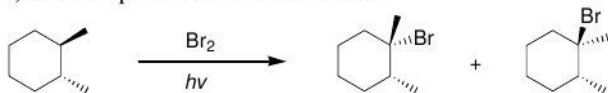
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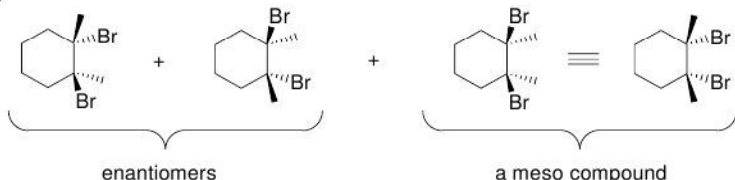
e) The minor product is only formed via a primary radical, which does not readily form under bromination conditions. The tertiary radical is selectively formed, which leads to the tertiary alkyl bromide as the major product.

## 11.41.

a) The two products are diastereomers



b)



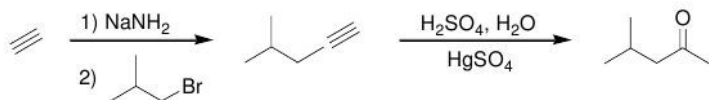
There are two chirality centers, so we might expect four products. However, one product is a meso compound, so there are only three products, rather than four. For a review of meso compounds, see Section 5.6.

**11.42.** Methyl radicals are less stable and less hindered than *tert*-butyl radicals.

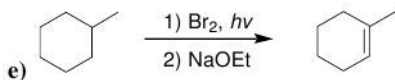
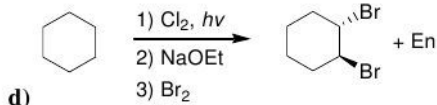
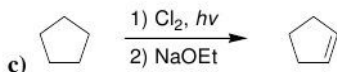
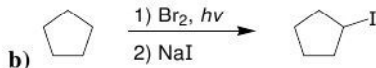
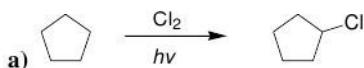
**11.43.**

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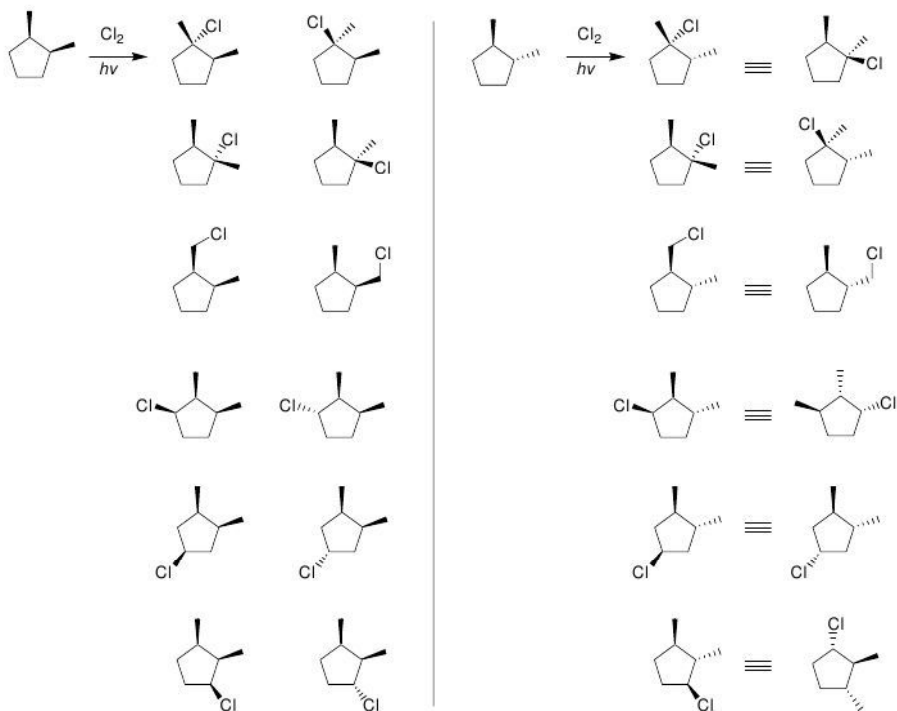
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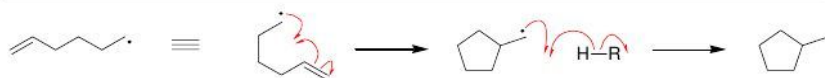
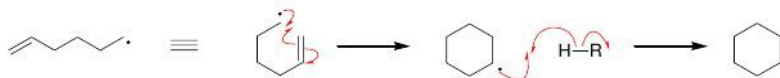
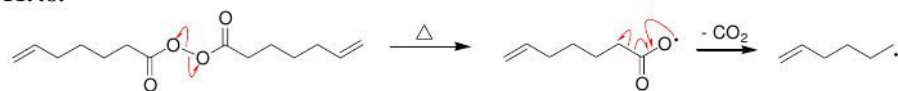


**11.46.** *cis*-1,2-Dimethylcyclopentane produces six pairs of compounds, where each pair have a diastereomeric relationship. In contrast, *trans*-dimethylcyclopentane produces only six different compounds, as shown below:



**11.47.** The first propagation step in a bromination process is generally slow and selective. In fact, this is the source of the regioselectivity for this reaction. A pathway via a tertiary radical will be significantly lower in energy than a pathway via a secondary or primary radical. As a result, bromination occurs predominantly at the more substituted position. However, when chlorine is present, chlorine radicals can perform the first propagation step (hydrogen abstraction) very rapidly, and with little selectivity. Under these conditions, secondary and primary radicals are formed almost as easily as tertiary radicals. The resulting radicals then react with bromine in the second propagation step to yield monobrominated products. Therefore, in the presence of chlorine, the selectivity normally observed for bromination is lost.

11.48.



# Chapter 12

## Synthesis

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 12. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

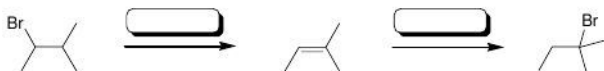
- The position of a halogen can be moved by performing \_\_\_\_\_ followed by \_\_\_\_\_.
- The position of a  $\pi$  bond can be moved by performing \_\_\_\_\_ followed by \_\_\_\_\_.
- An alkane can be functionalized via radical \_\_\_\_\_.
- Every synthesis problem should be approached by asking the following two questions:
  1. Is there any change in the \_\_\_\_\_?
  2. Is there any change in the identity or location of the \_\_\_\_\_?
- In a \_\_\_\_\_ **analysis**, the last step of the synthetic route is first established, and the remaining steps are determined, working backwards from the product.

### Review of Skills

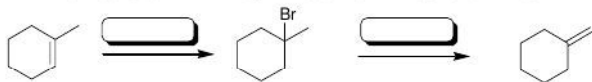
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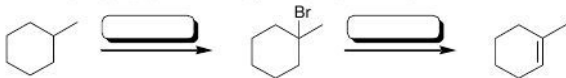
IDENTIFY THE TWO PROCESSES THAT ARE REQUIRED TO CHANGE THE POSITION OF A HALOGEN:



IDENTIFY THE TWO PROCESSES THAT ARE REQUIRED TO CHANGE THE POSITION OF A  $\pi$  BOND:

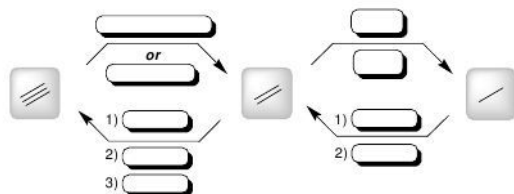


IDENTIFY THE TWO PROCESSES THAT ARE REQUIRED TO INSTALL A  $\pi$  BOND:





IDENTIFY THE REAGENTS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATIONS

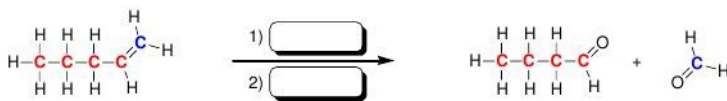


## 12.2 Changing the Carbon Skeleton

IDENTIFY THE REAGENT NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING C-C BOND FORMING REACTION:



IDENTIFY THE REAGENTS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING C-C BOND BREAKING REACTION:



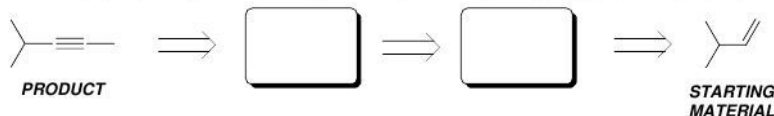
## 12.3 Approaching a Synthesis Problem by Asking Two Questions

IDENTIFY THE TWO QUESTIONS TO ASK WHEN APPROACHING A SYNTHESIS PROBLEM:

- 1) \_\_\_\_\_?
- 2) \_\_\_\_\_?

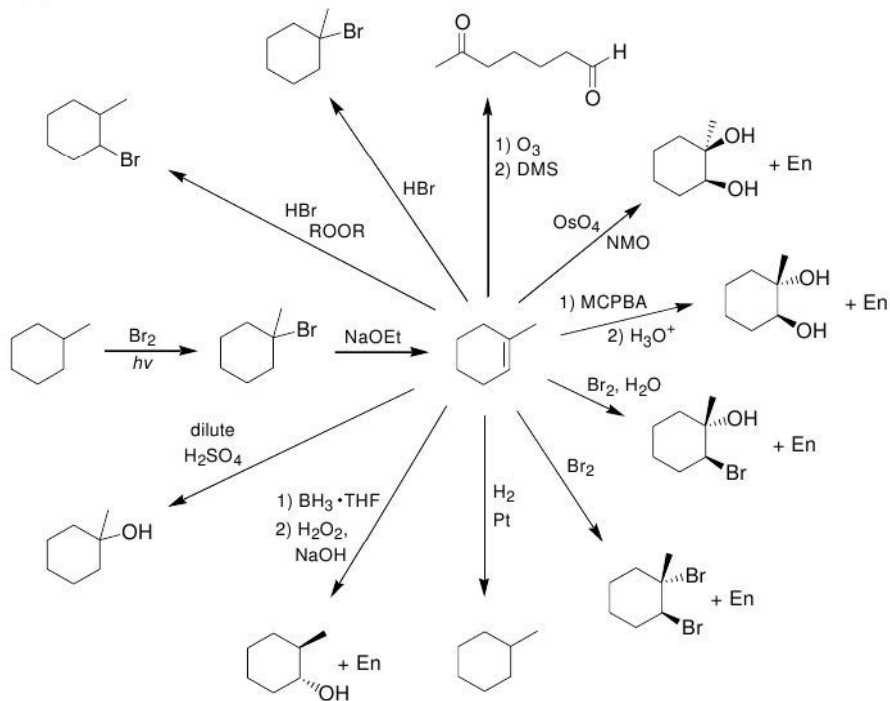
## 12.4 Retrosynthetic Analysis

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING RETROSYNTHETIC ANALYSIS BY DRAWING THE APPROPRIATE STRUCTURES IN THE BOXES PROVIDED:

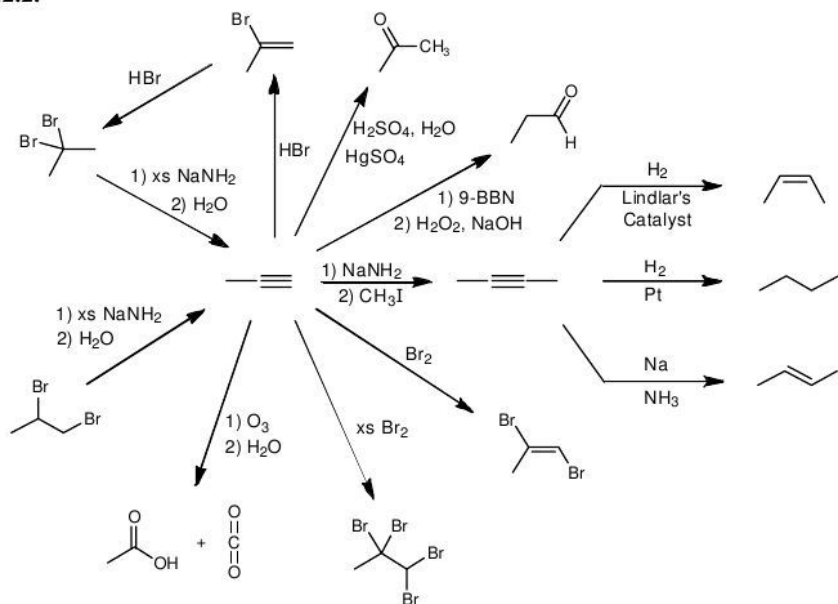


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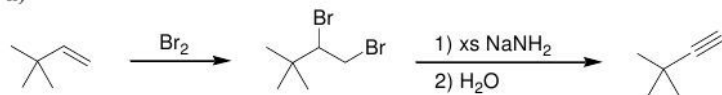


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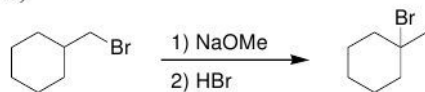


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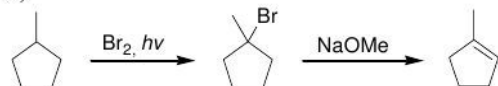
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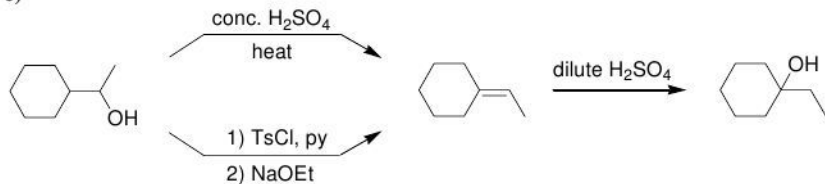
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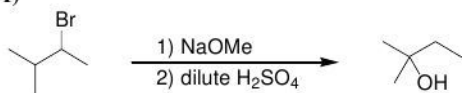
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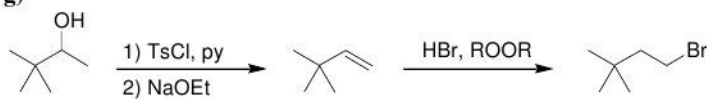
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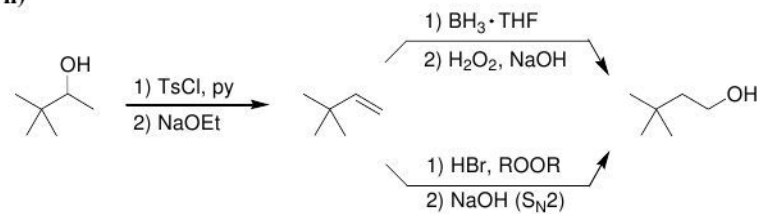
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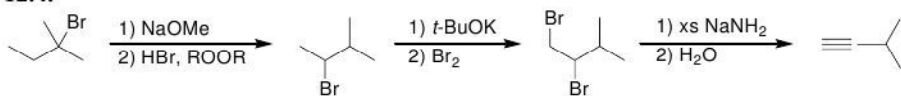
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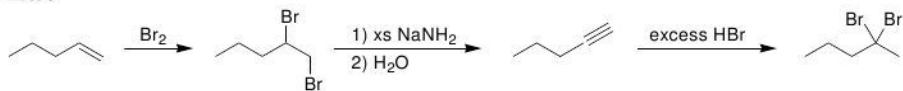
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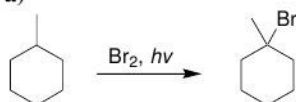


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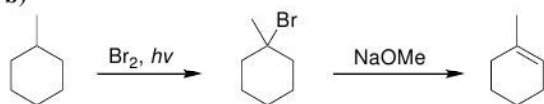


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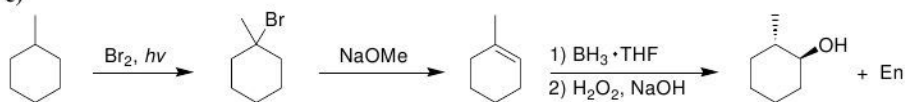
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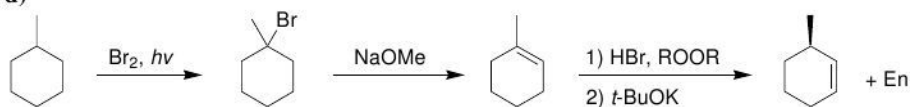
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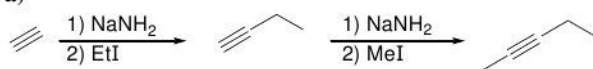


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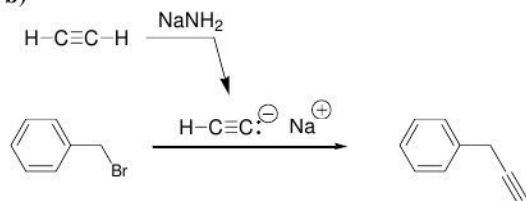


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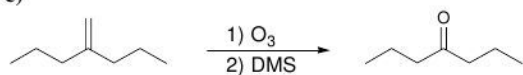
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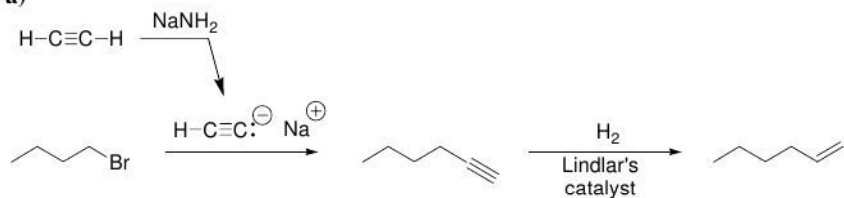


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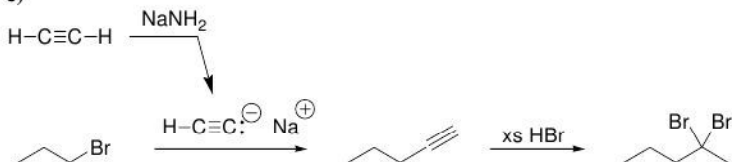
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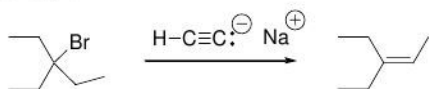
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**12.9.** The alkyl halide is a tertiary substrate and does not readily undergo  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ . Under these conditions, the acetylide ion functions as a base, rather than a nucleophile, giving an  $\text{E}2$  reaction, instead of  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ :

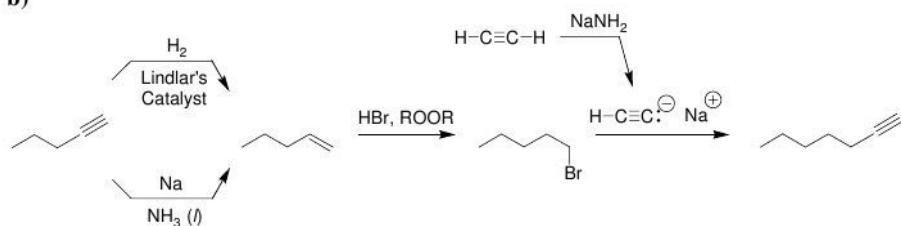


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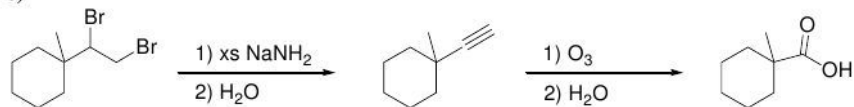
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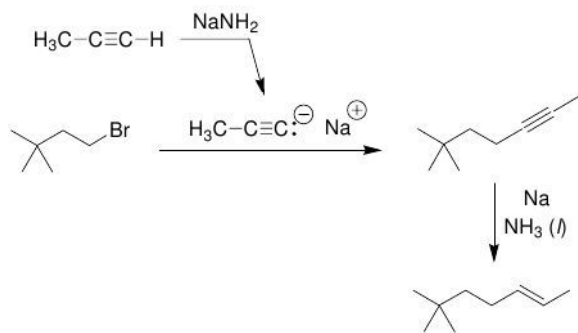
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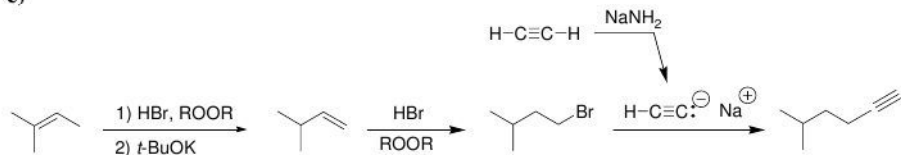
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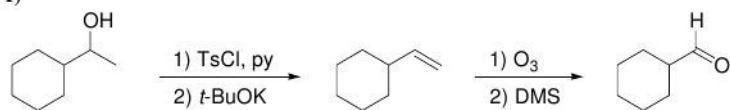
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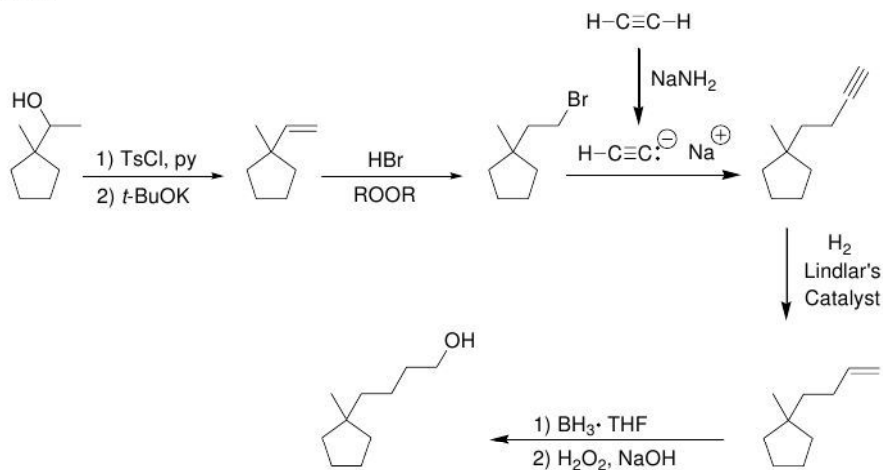
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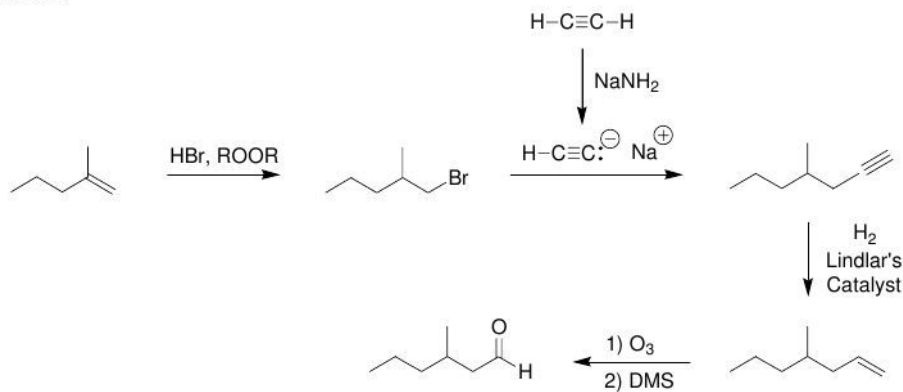
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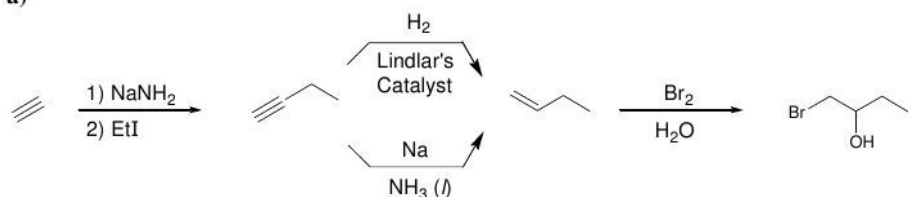
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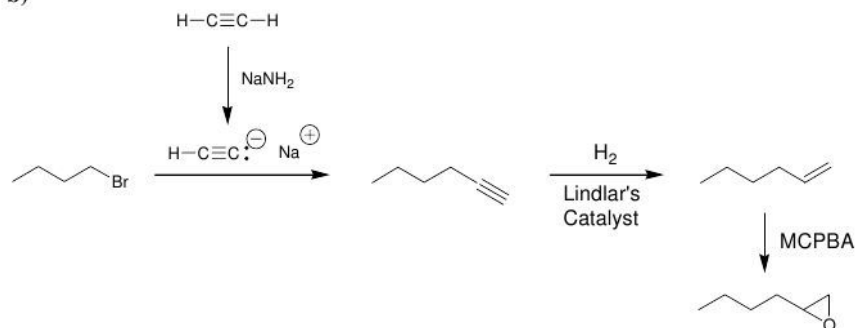


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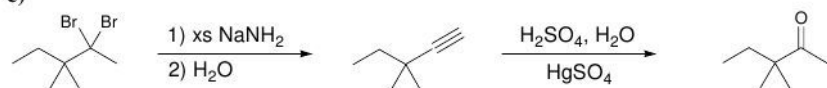
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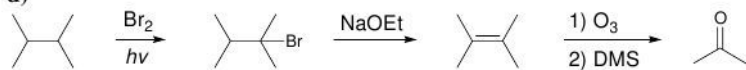
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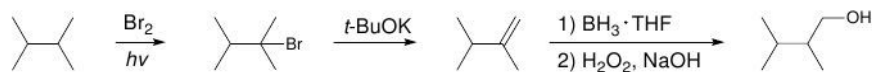
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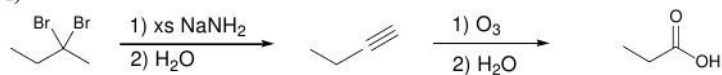
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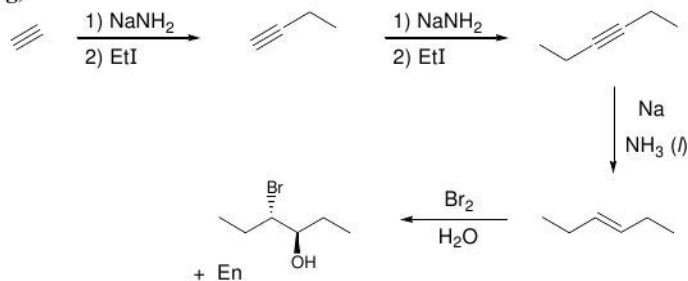
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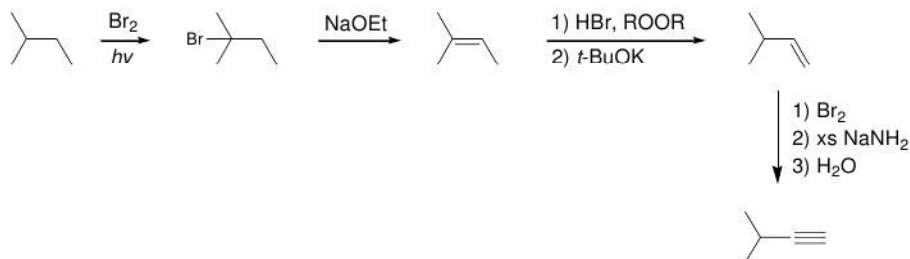
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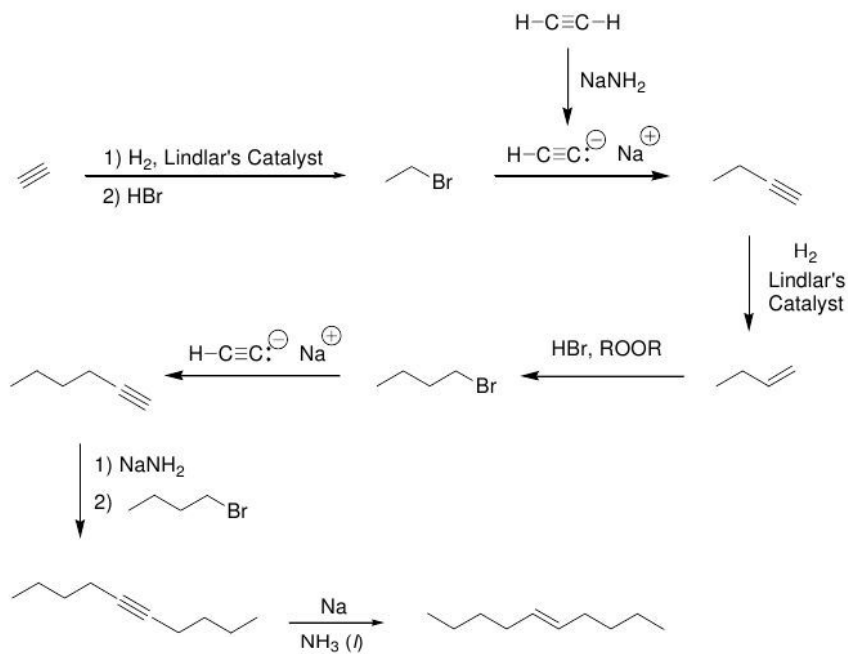
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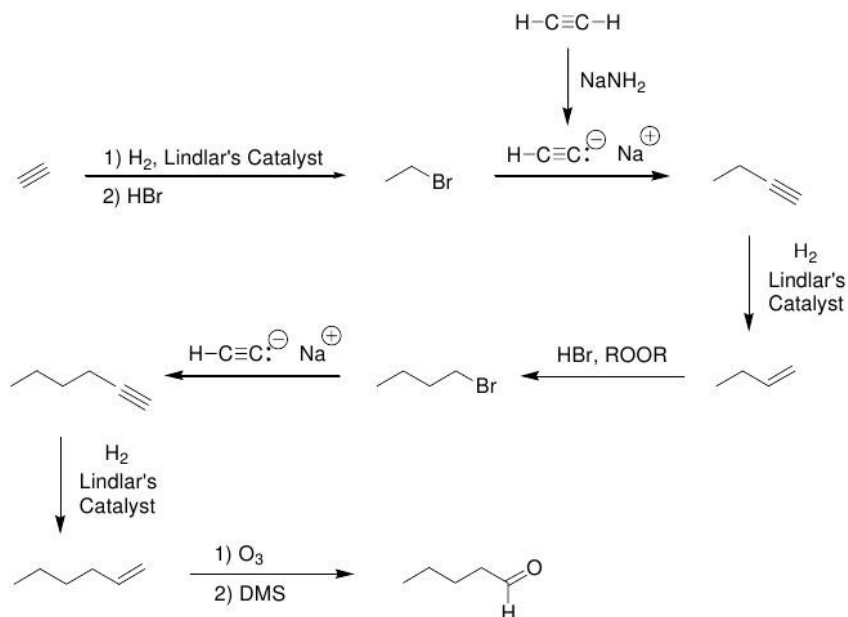


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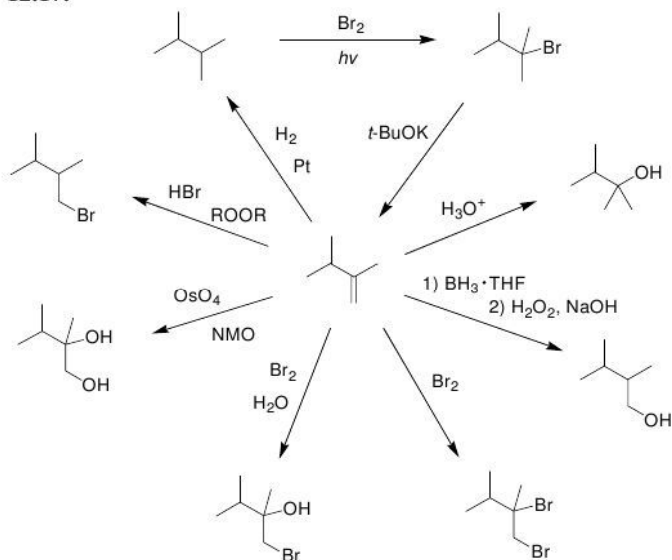


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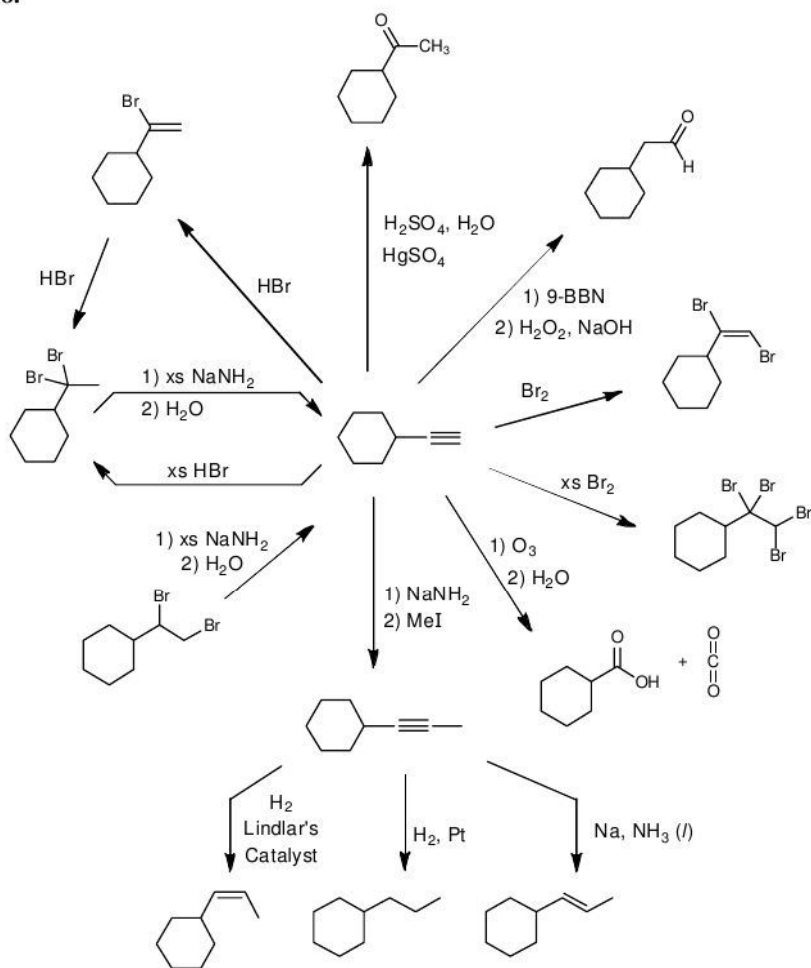
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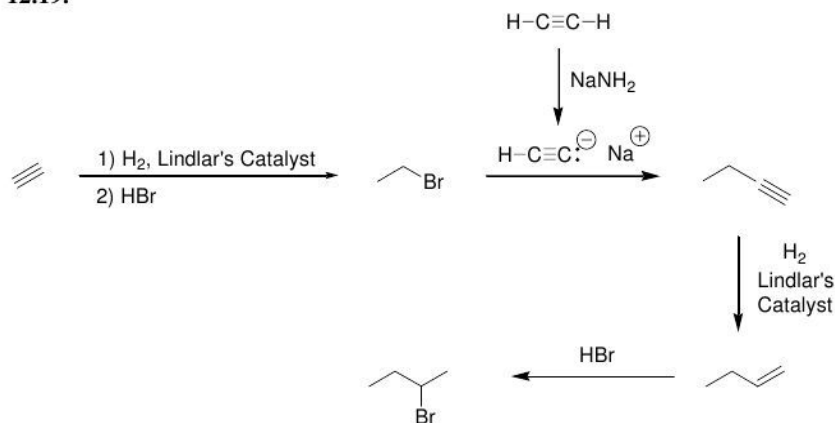
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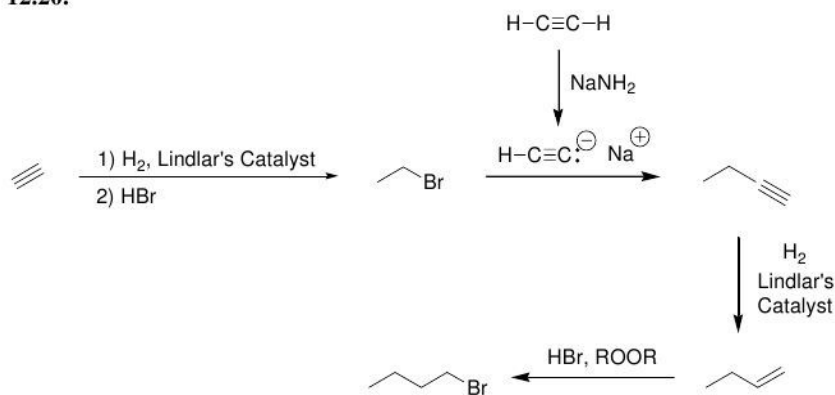
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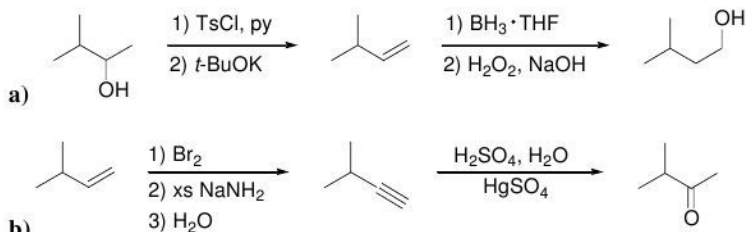
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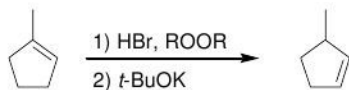
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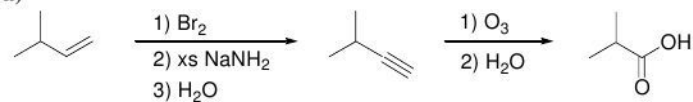


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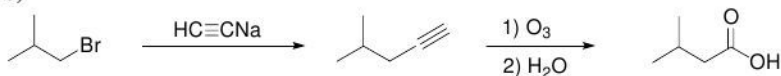


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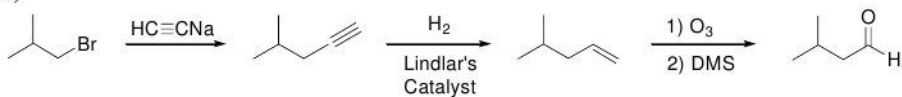
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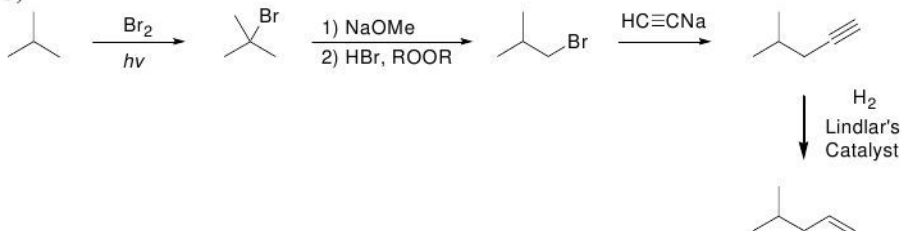
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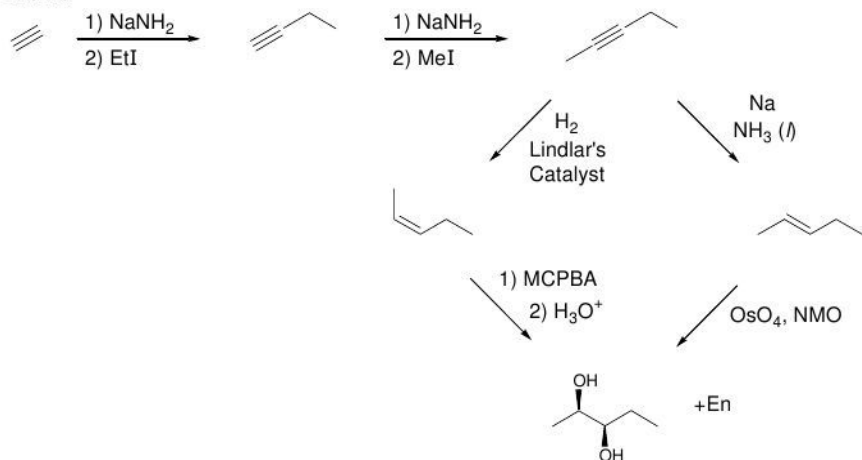


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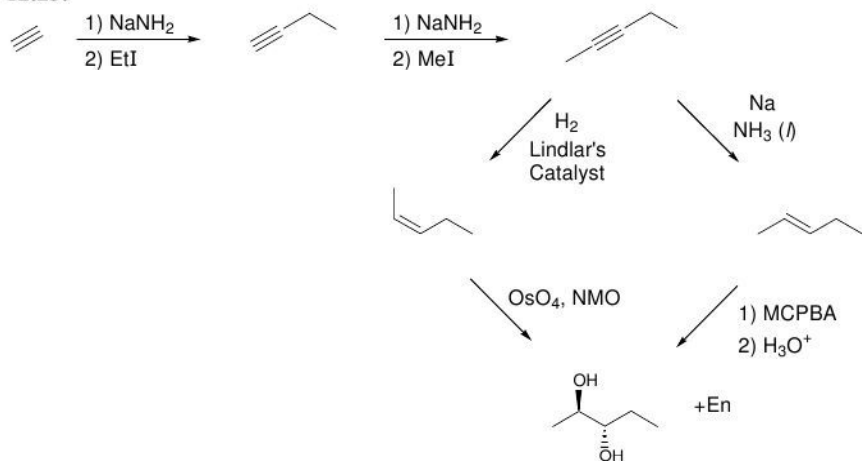




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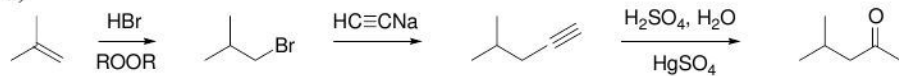


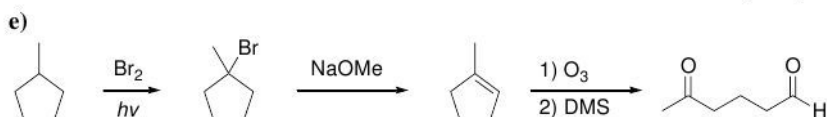
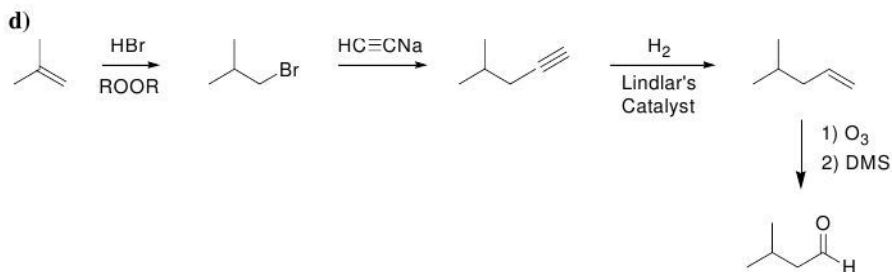
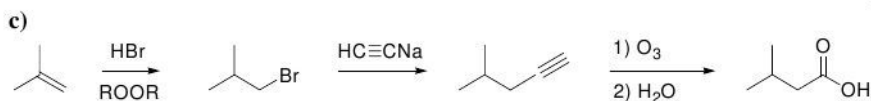
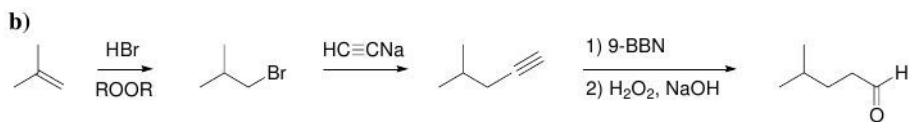
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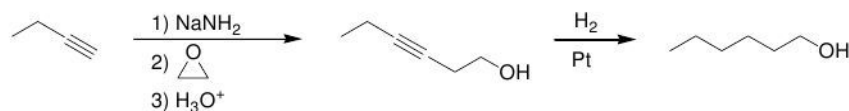
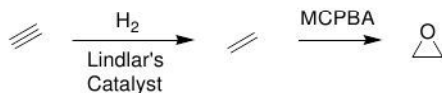
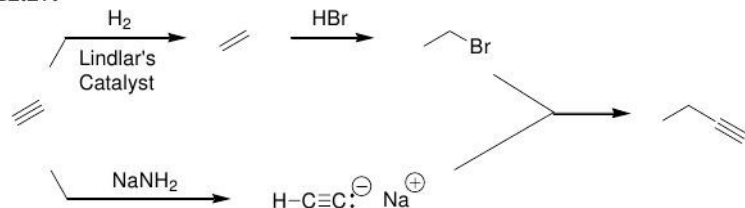
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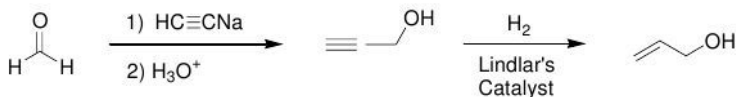
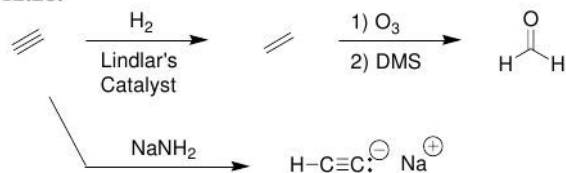




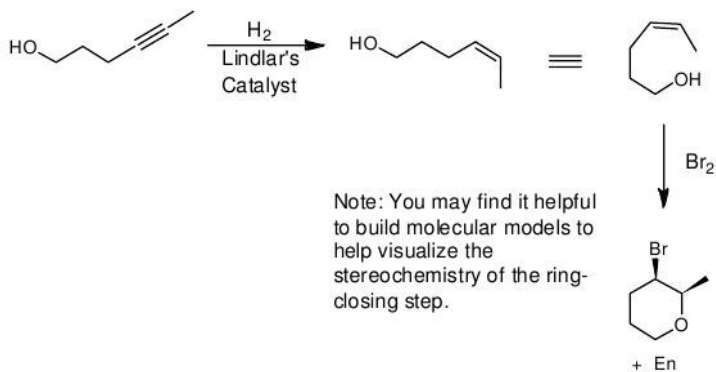
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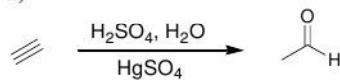


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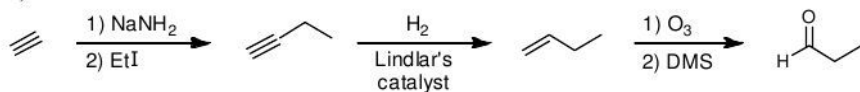


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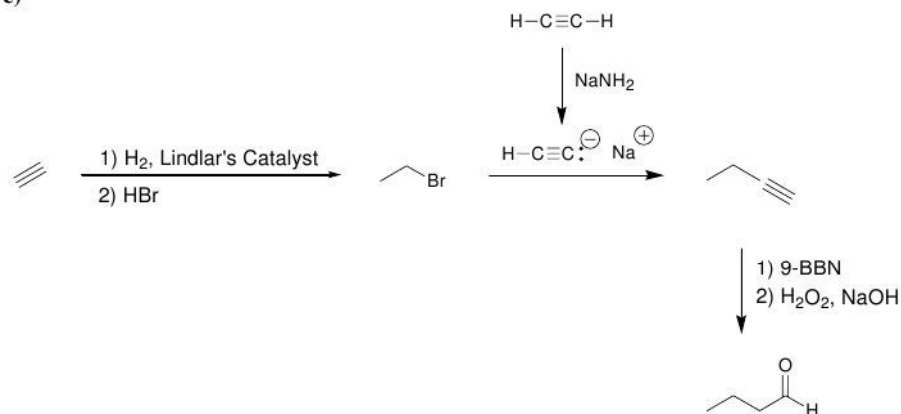
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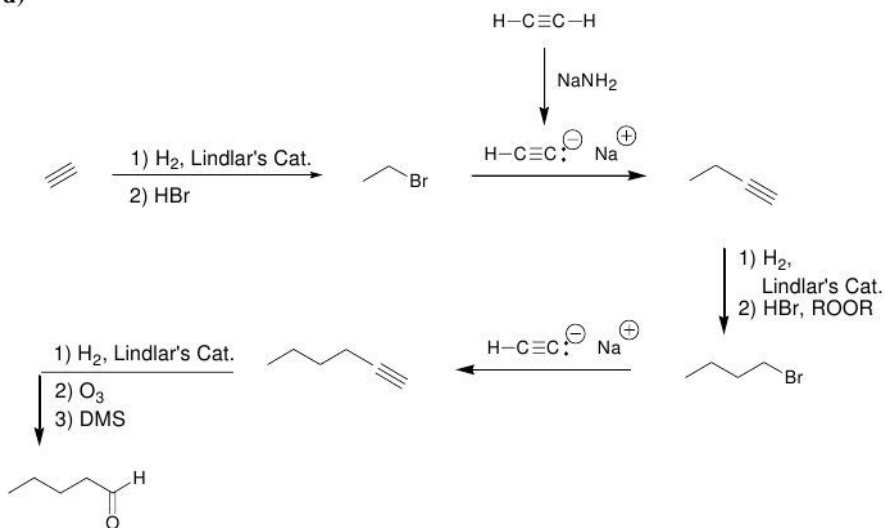
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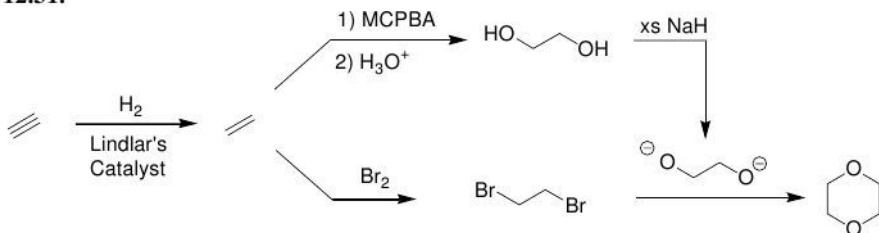
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# Chapter 13

## Alcohols

### Review of Concepts

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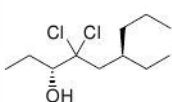
- When naming an alcohol, the parent is the longest chain containing the \_\_\_\_\_ group.
- The conjugate base of an alcohol is called an \_\_\_\_\_ ion.
- Several factors determine the relative acidity of alcohols, including \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_.
- The conjugate base of phenol is called a \_\_\_\_\_, or \_\_\_\_\_ ion.
- When preparing an alcohol via a substitution reaction, primary substrates will require  $S_N$ \_\_\_\_\_ conditions, while tertiary substrates will require  $S_N$ \_\_\_\_\_ conditions.
- Alcohols can be formed by treating a **carbonyl group** (C=O bond) with a \_\_\_\_\_ agent.
- **Grignard reagents** are carbon nucleophiles that are capable of attacking a wide range of \_\_\_\_\_, including the carbonyl group of ketones or aldehydes, to produce an alcohol.
- \_\_\_\_\_ groups, such as the trimethylsilyl group, can be used to circumvent the problem of Grignard incompatibility and can be easily removed after the desired Grignard reaction has been performed.
- Tertiary alcohols will undergo an  $S_N$ \_\_\_\_\_ reaction when treated with a hydrogen halide.
- Primary and secondary alcohols will undergo an  $S_N$ \_\_\_\_\_ process when treated with either HX,  $SOCl_2$ ,  $PBr_3$ , or when the hydroxyl group is converted into a tosylate group followed by nucleophilic attack.
- Tertiary alcohols undergo  $E1$  elimination when treated with \_\_\_\_\_.
- Primary alcohols undergo **oxidation** twice to give a \_\_\_\_\_.
- Secondary alcohols are oxidized only once to give a \_\_\_\_\_.
- PCC is used to convert a primary alcohol into an \_\_\_\_\_.
- NADH is a biological reducing agent that functions as a \_\_\_\_\_ delivery agent (very much like  $NaBH_4$  or LAH), while  $NAD^+$  is an \_\_\_\_\_ agent.
- The are two key issues to consider when proposing a synthesis is whether there is:
  1. a change in the \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. a change in the \_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 13. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 13.1 Naming an Alcohol

PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

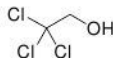


- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE
- 5) ASSIGN CONFIGURATION



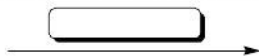
### 13.2 Comparing the Acidity of Alcohols

FOR EACH PAIR OF COMPOUNDS BELOW, CIRCLE THE COMPOUND THAT IS MORE ACIDIC:



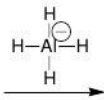
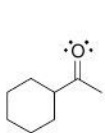
### 13.3 Identifying Oxidation and Reduction Reactions

IN THE FOLLOWING REACTION, DETERMINE WHETHER THE STARTING MATERIAL HAS BEEN OXIDIZED, REDUCED, OR NEITHER:



### 13.4 Drawing a Mechanism, and Predicting the Products of Hydride Reductions

COMPLETE THE MECHANISM BELOW BY DRAWING ALL CURVED ARROWS, INTERMEDIATES AND PRODUCTS.



### 13.5 Preparing an Alcohol via a Grignard Reaction

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT CAN ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATIONS



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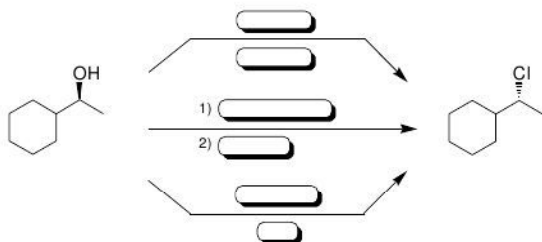
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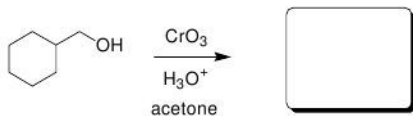
### 13.6 Proposing Reagents for the Conversion of an Alcohol into an Alkyl Halide

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT CAN ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATIONS



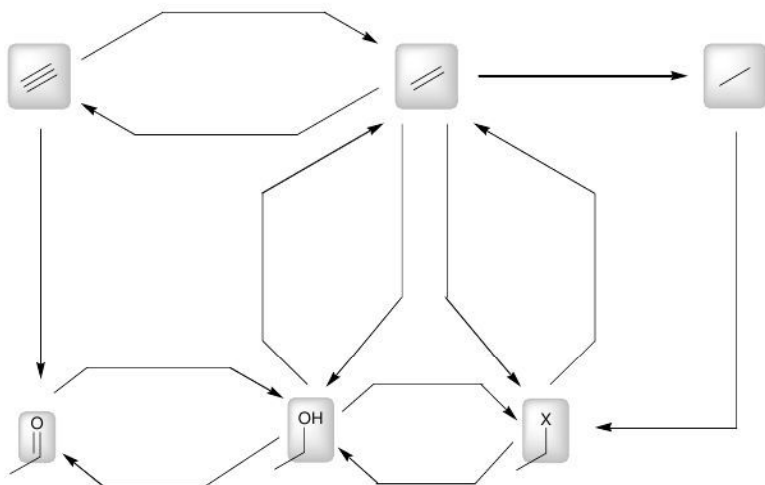
### 13.7 Predicting the Products of an Oxidation Reaction

DRAW THE EXPECTED PRODUCT OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION



### 13.8 Converting Functional Groups

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT CAN ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONAL GROUP TRANSFORMATIONS



### 13.9 Proposing a Synthesis

AS A GUIDE FOR PROPOSING A SYNTHESIS, ASK THE FOLLOWING TWO QUESTIONS:

- 1) IS THERE A CHANGE IN THE \_\_\_\_\_ SKELETON?
- 2) IS THERE A CHANGE IN THE LOCATION OR IDENTITY OF THE \_\_\_\_\_?

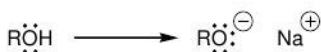
AFTER PROPOSING A SYNTHESIS, USE THE FOLLOWING TWO QUESTIONS TO ANALYZE YOUR ANSWER:

- 1) IS THE \_\_\_\_\_ OUTCOME OF EACH STEP CORRECT?
- 2) IS THE \_\_\_\_\_ OUTCOME OF EACH STEP CORRECT?

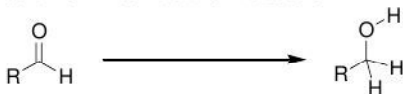
### Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 13. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

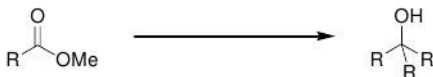
#### Preparation of Alkoxides



#### Preparation of Alcohols via Reduction

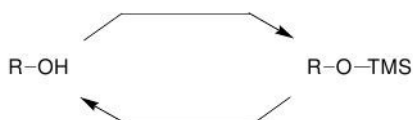


#### Preparation of Alcohols via Grignard Reagents





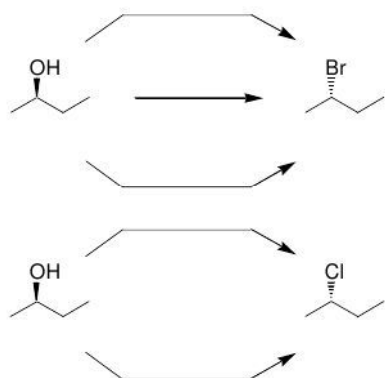
## Protection and Deprotection of Alcohols



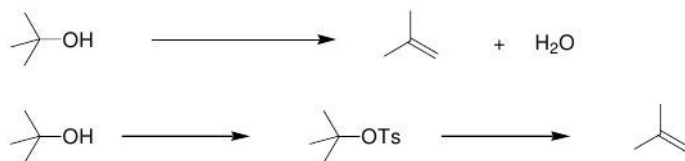
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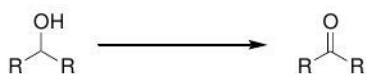
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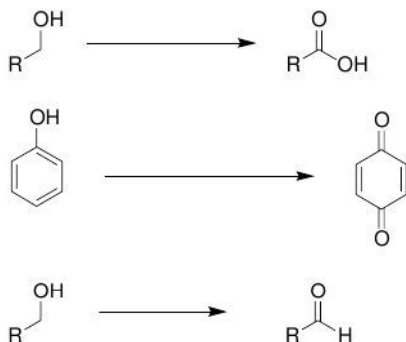


## E1 and E2 Reactions with Alcohols



## Oxidation of Alcohols and Phenols



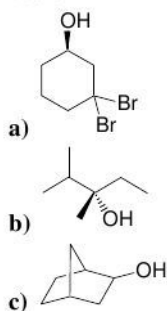


## Solutions

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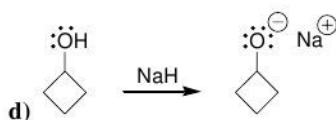
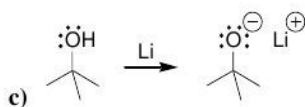
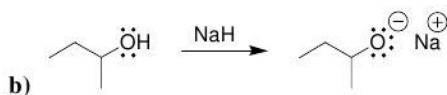
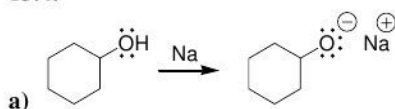
- 5,5-dibromo-2-methylhexan-2-ol
- (2*S*,3*R*)-2,3,4-trimethylpentan-1-ol
- 2,2,5,5-tetramethylcyclopentanol
- 2,6-diethylphenol
- (*S*)-2,2,4,4-tetramethylcyclohexanol

### 13.2.



**13.3.** Nonyl mandelate has a longer alkyl chain than octyl mandelate and is therefore more effective at penetrating cell membranes, rendering it a more potent agent. Nonyl mandelate has a shorter alkyl chain than decyl mandelate and is therefore more water-soluble, enabling it to be transported through aqueous media and to reach its target destination more effectively.

## 13.4.



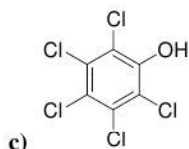
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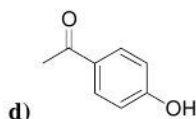
The electron-withdrawing effects of the fluorine atoms stabilize the conjugate base.



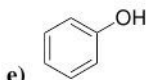
The conjugate base of a primary alcohol will be more easily solvated than the conjugate base of a tertiary alcohol.



The electron-withdrawing effects of the chlorine atoms stabilize the conjugate base.

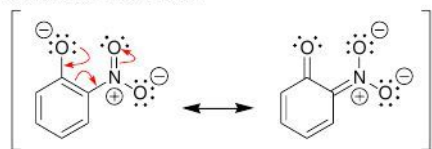


The conjugate base is more highly stabilized by resonance, with the negative charge spread over two oxygen atoms, rather than just one oxygen atom.

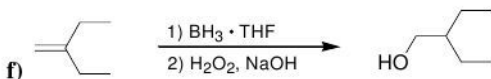
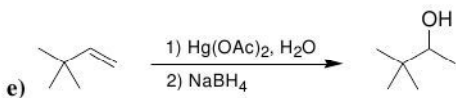
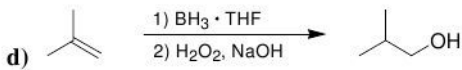
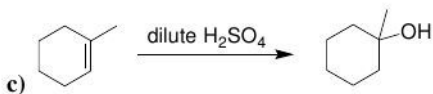
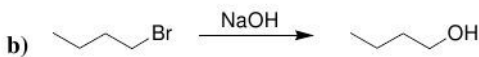
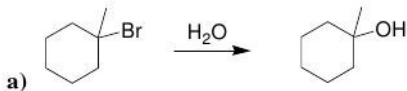


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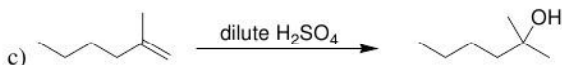
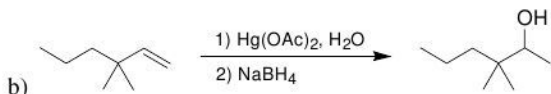
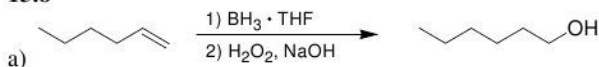
**13.6.** 2-nitrophenol is expected to be more acidic (lower  $pK_a$ ) because the conjugate base has a resonance structure in which the negative charge is spread onto an oxygen atom of the nitro group, shown below. In contrast, 3-nitrophenol does not have such a resonance structure:



**13.7.**



## 13.8



## 13.9.

a) (+2)  $\rightarrow$  (+2). The starting material is neither oxidized nor reduced.

b) (+1)  $\rightarrow$  (+3). The starting material is oxidized.

c) (+3)  $\rightarrow$  (-1). The starting material is reduced.

d) (+3)  $\rightarrow$  (+3). The starting material is neither oxidized nor reduced.

e) (0)  $\rightarrow$  (+2). The starting material is oxidized.

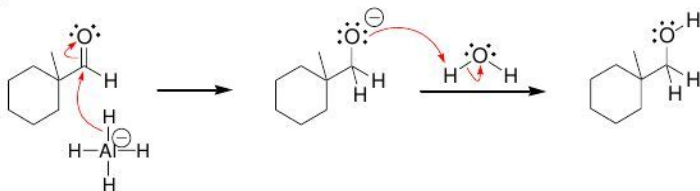
f) (+2)  $\rightarrow$  (+3). The starting material is oxidized.

**13.10.** One carbon atom is reduced from an oxidation state of 0 to an oxidation state of -1, while the other carbon atom is oxidized from an oxidation state of 0 to an oxidation state of +1. Overall, the starting material does not undergo a net change in oxidation state and is, therefore, neither reduced nor oxidized.

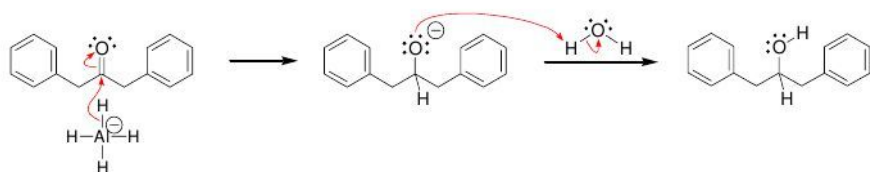
**13.11.** One carbon atom is reduced from an oxidation state of 0 to an oxidation state of -2, while the other carbon atom is oxidized from an oxidation state of 0 to an oxidation state of +2. Overall, the starting material does not undergo a net change in oxidation state and is, therefore, neither reduced nor oxidized.

## 13.12.

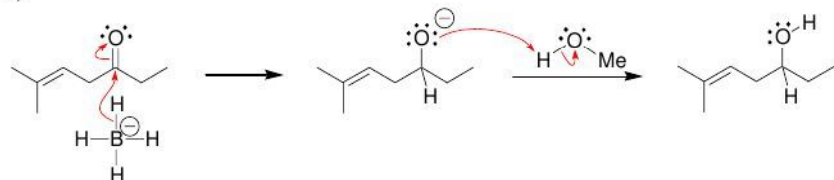
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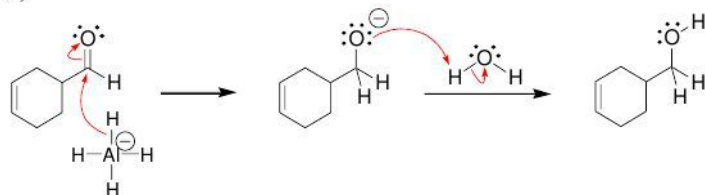
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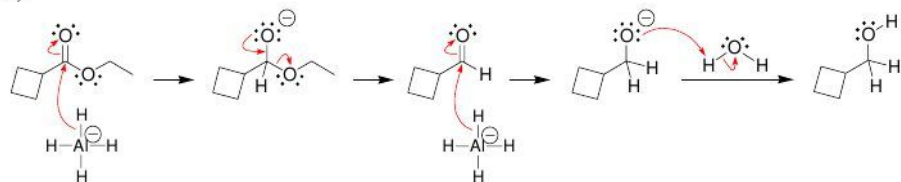
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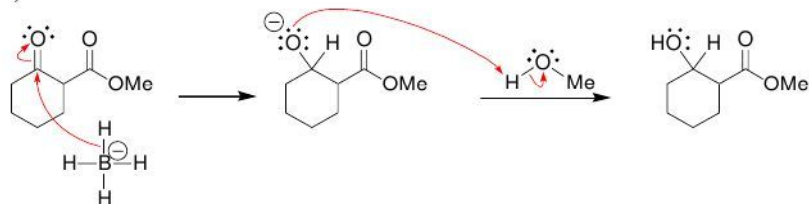
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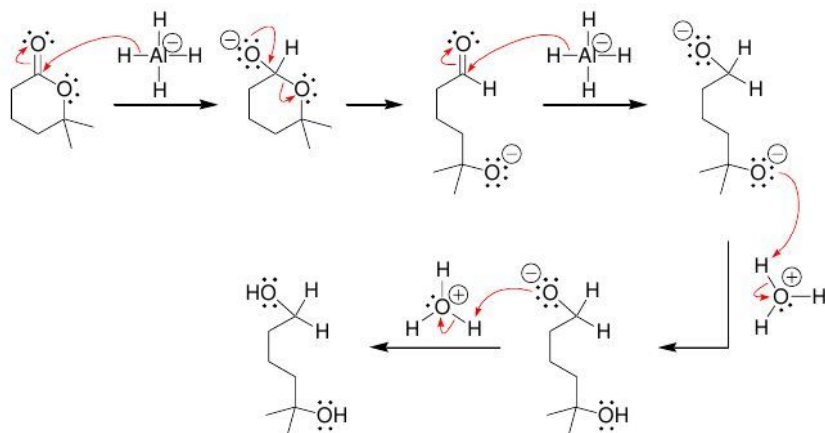
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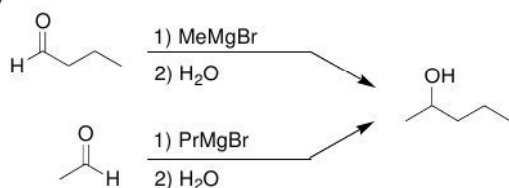


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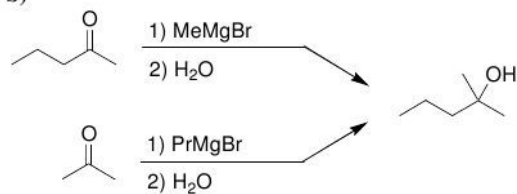


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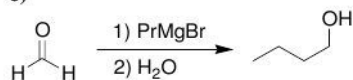
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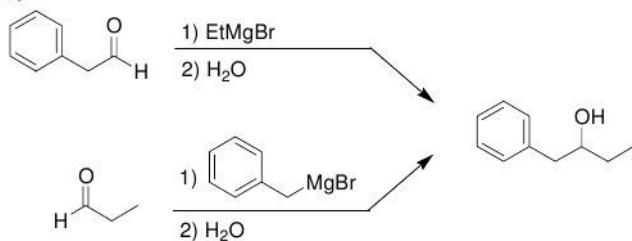
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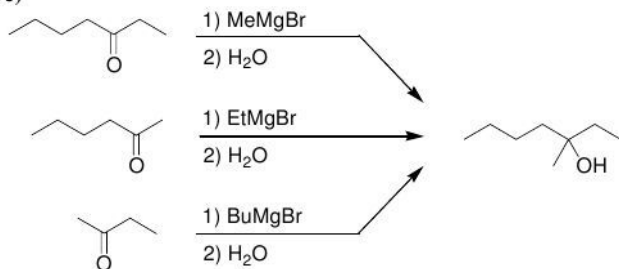
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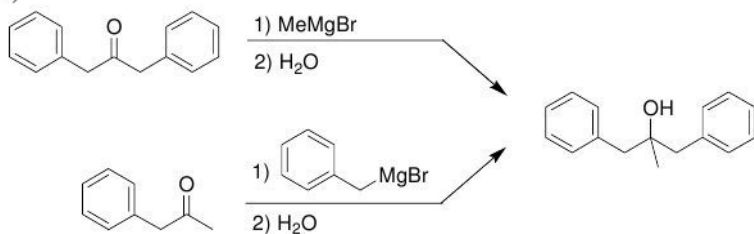
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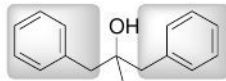
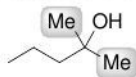
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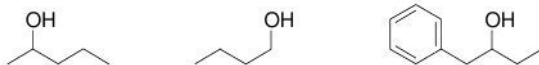
**13.15** Each of the following two compounds can be prepared from the reaction between a Grignard reagent and an ester, because each of these compounds has two identical groups connected to the  $\alpha$  position:



The other four compounds from Problem 13.14 do not contain two identical groups connected to the  $\alpha$  position, and cannot be prepared from the reaction between an ester and a Grignard reagent.

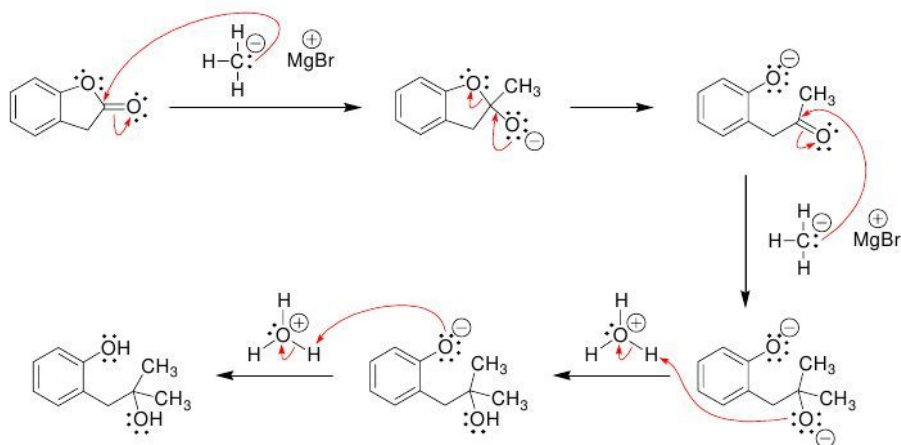


**13.16** Each of the following three compounds can be prepared from the reaction between a hydride reducing agent ( $\text{NaBH}_4$  or LAH) and a ketone or aldehyde, because each of these compounds has a hydrogen atom connected to the  $\alpha$  position:



The other three compounds from Problem 13.14 do not contain a hydrogen atom connected to the  $\alpha$  position and, therefore, cannot be prepared from the reaction between a hydride reducing agent ( $\text{NaBH}_4$  or LAH) and a ketone or aldehyde.

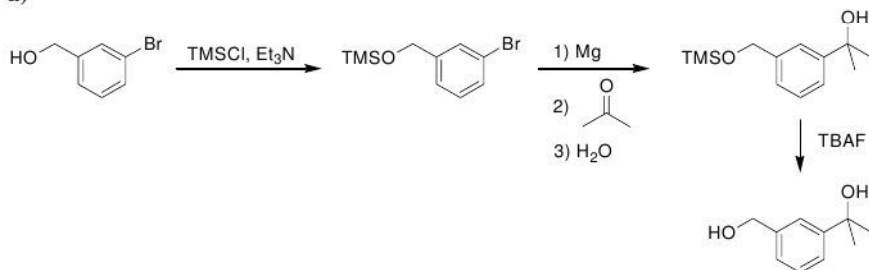
**13.17.**



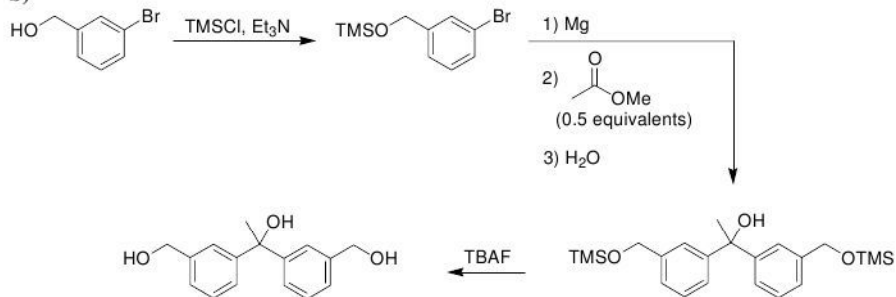
In this case,  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  must be used as a proton source because water is not sufficiently acidic to protonate a phenolate ion (see Section 13.2, Acidity of Alcohols and Phenols).

**13.18.**

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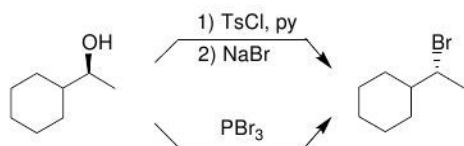


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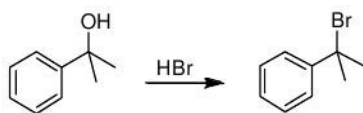


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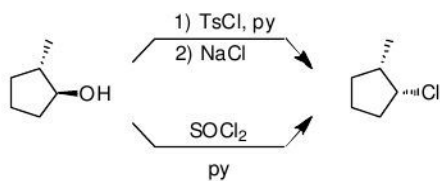
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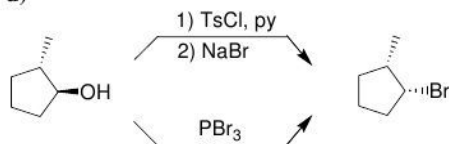
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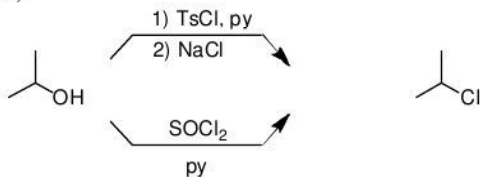
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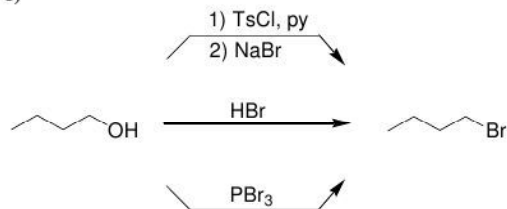
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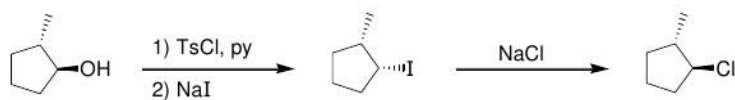
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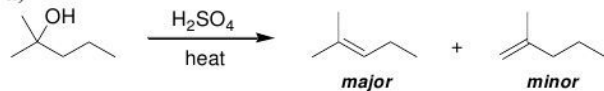


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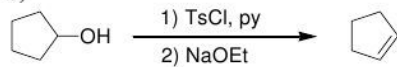


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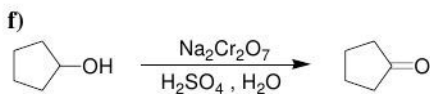
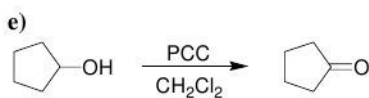
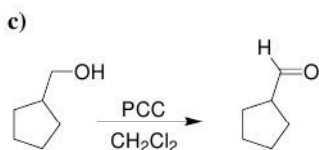
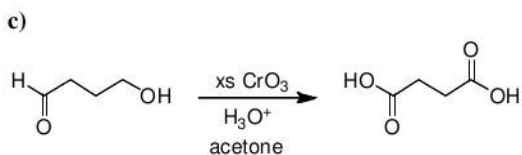
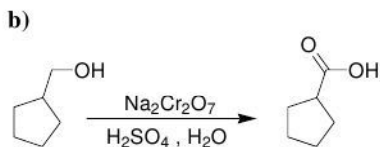
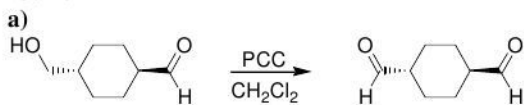
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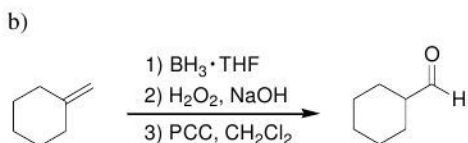
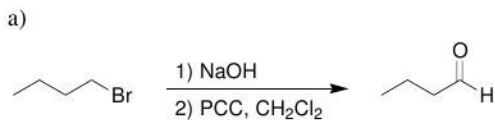
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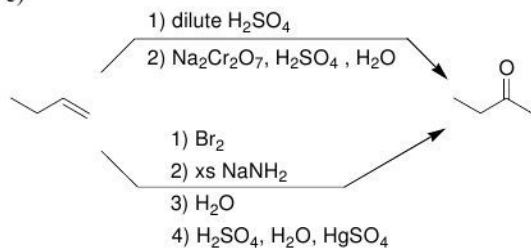
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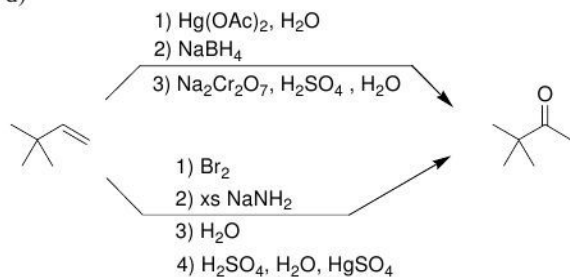
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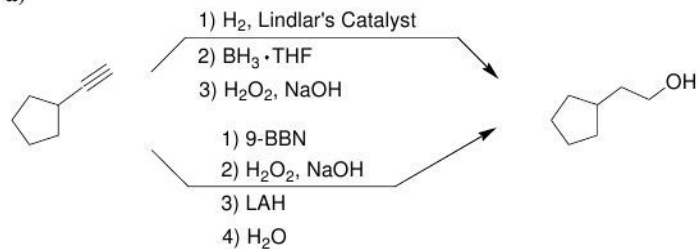
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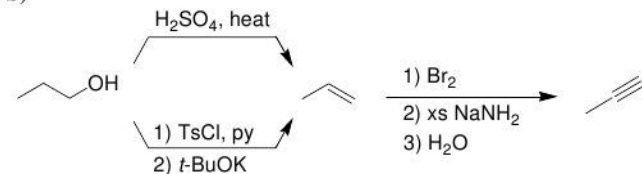
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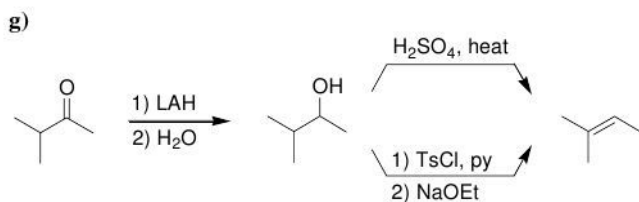
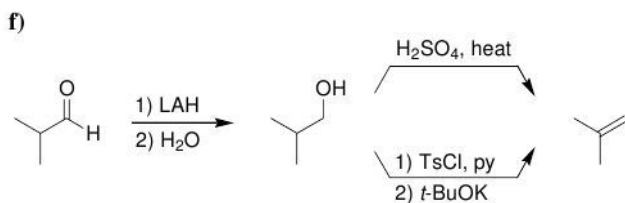
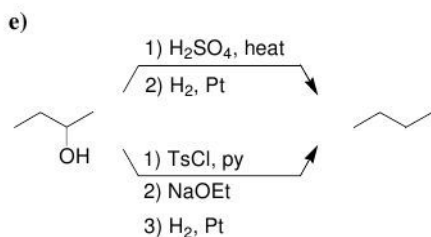
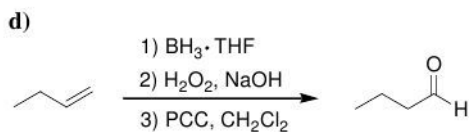
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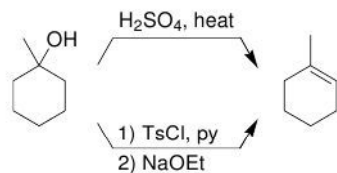


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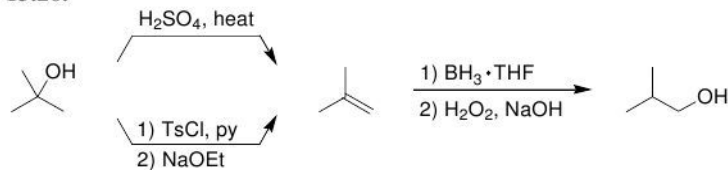




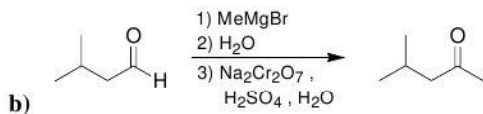
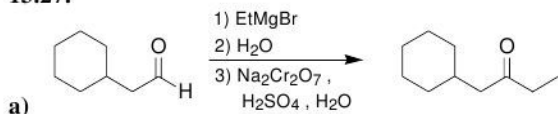
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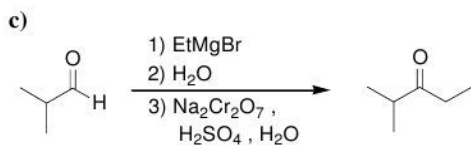
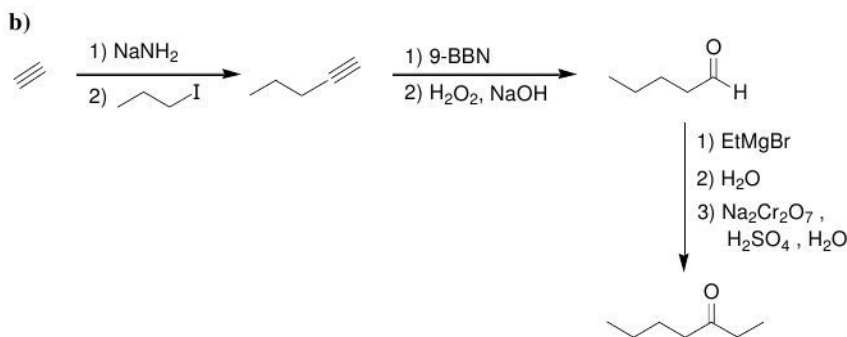
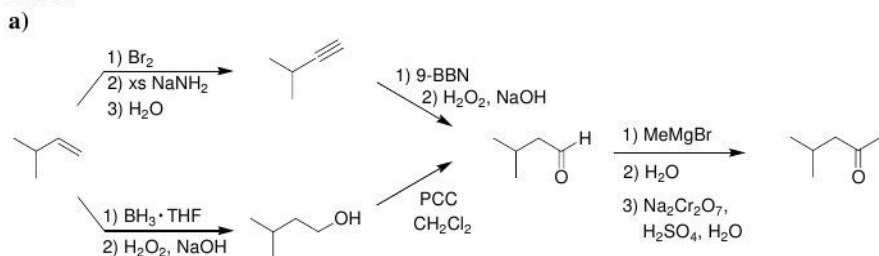
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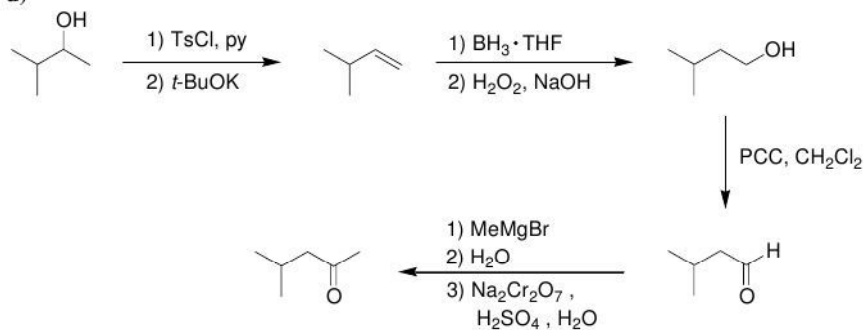
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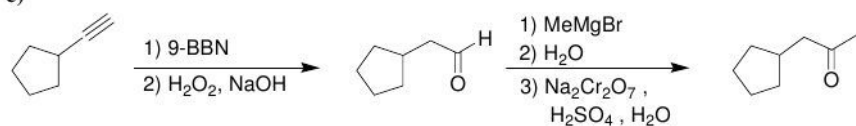
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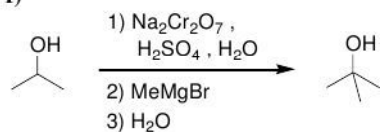
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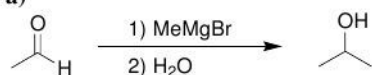


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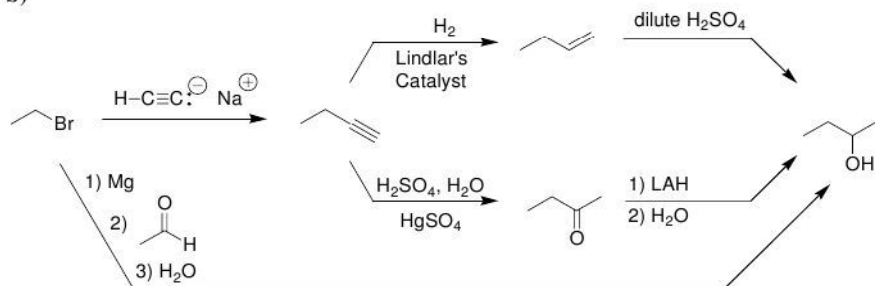


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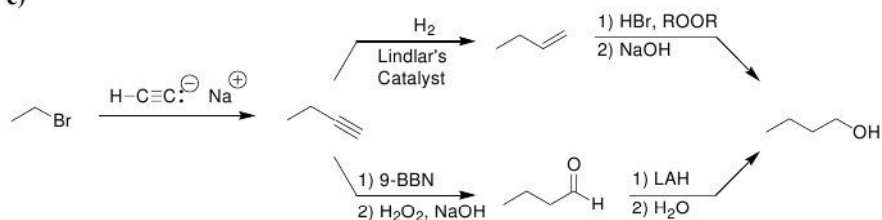


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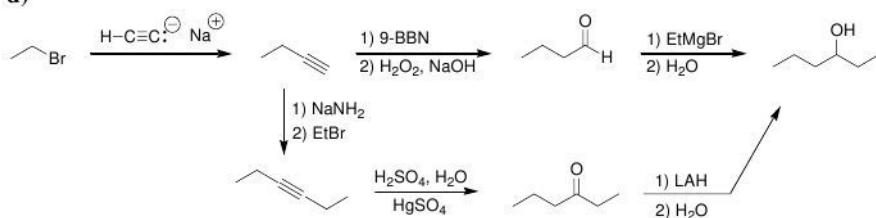




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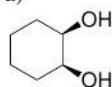


13.30.

- 2-propyl-1-pentanol
- (*R*)-4-methyl-2-pentanol
- 2-bromo-4-methylphenol
- (1*R*,2*R*)-2-methylcyclohexanol

13.31.

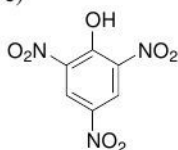
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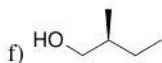
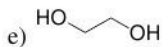
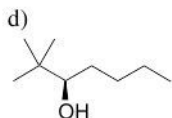


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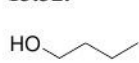


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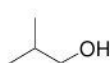
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2-butanol

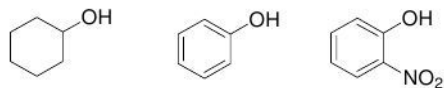
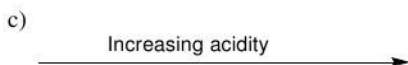
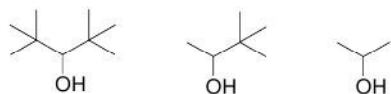
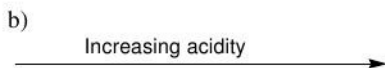
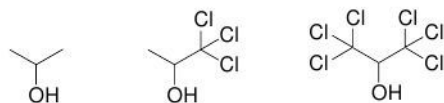
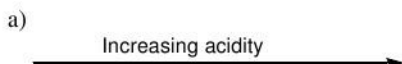


2-methyl-2-propanol

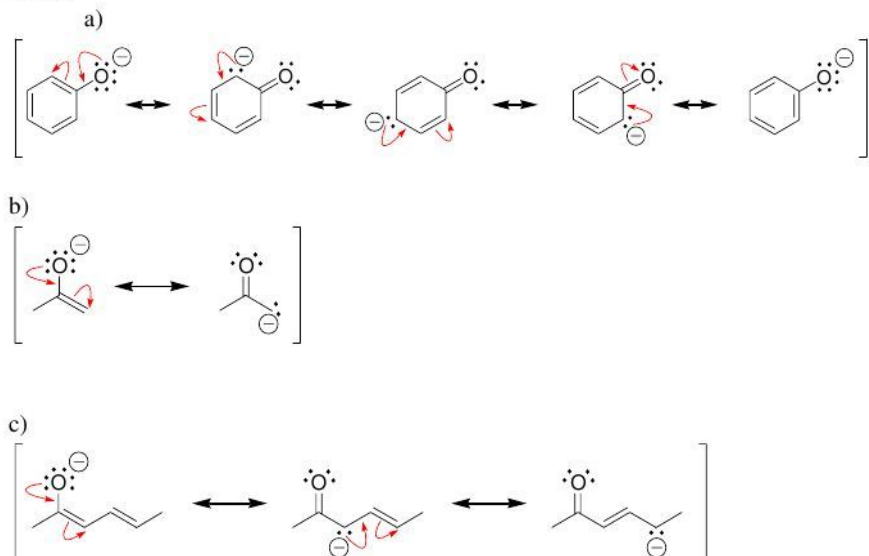


2-methyl-1-propanol

13.33.



13.34.

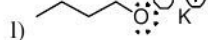
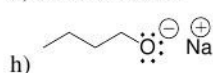
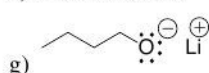
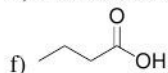
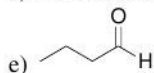


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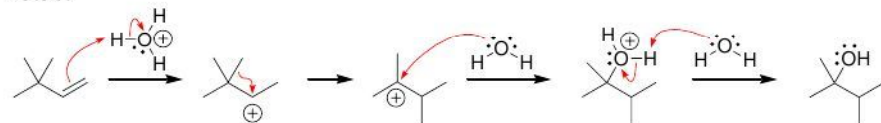
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b) 1-chlorobutane

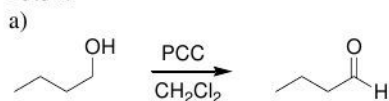
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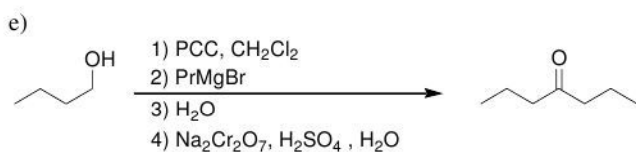
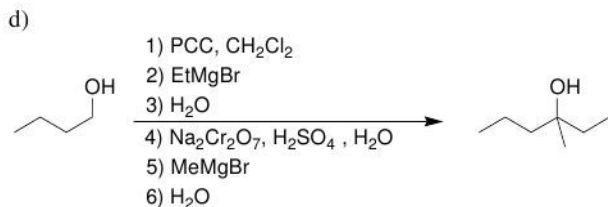
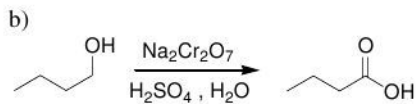
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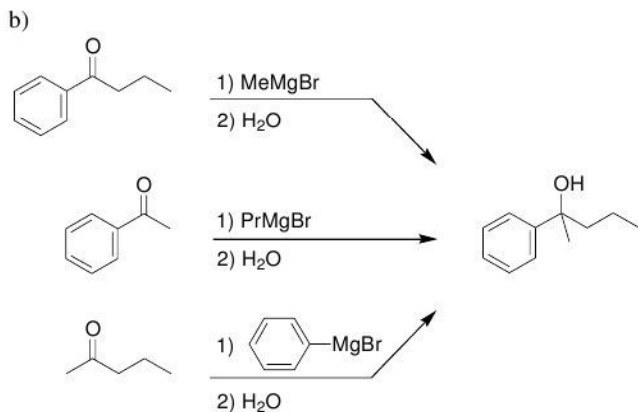
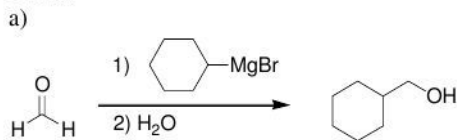


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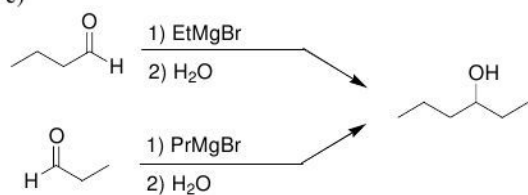




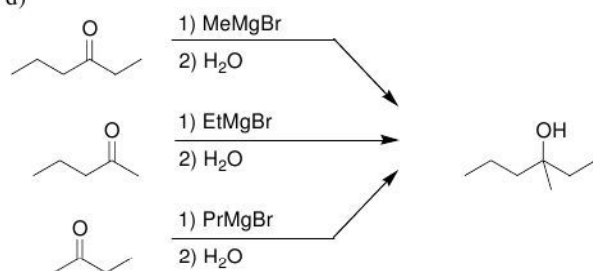
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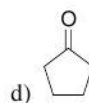
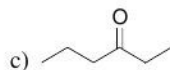
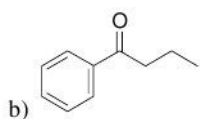
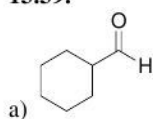
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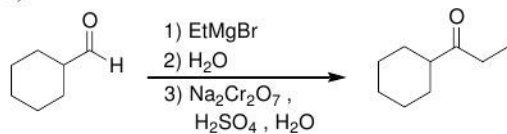


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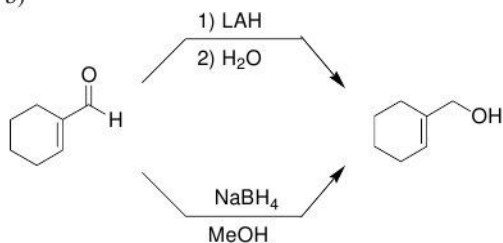


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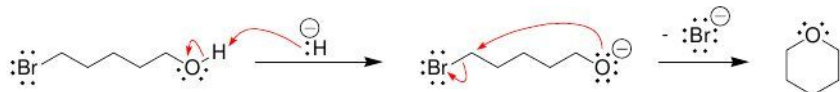
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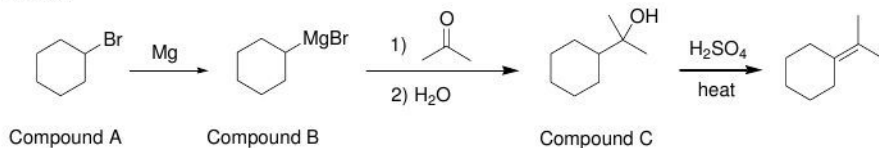


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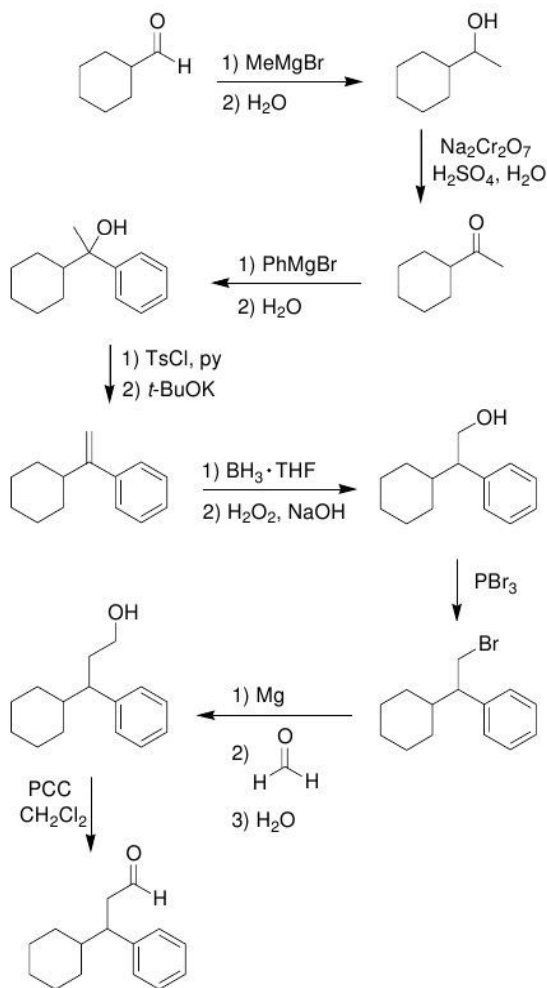


**13.42.** The major product is 1-methylcyclohexanol (resulting from Markvonikov addition), which is a tertiary alcohol. Tertiary alcohols do not generally undergo oxidation. The minor product (2-methylcyclohexanol) is a secondary alcohol and can undergo oxidation to yield a ketone.

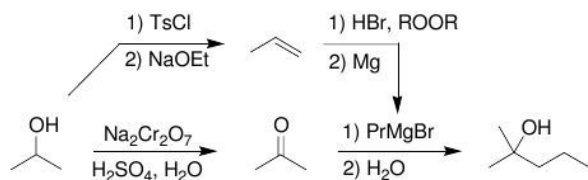
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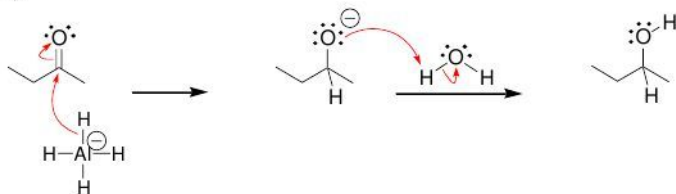


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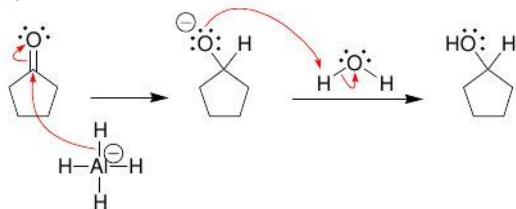


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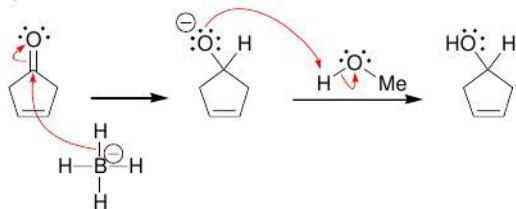
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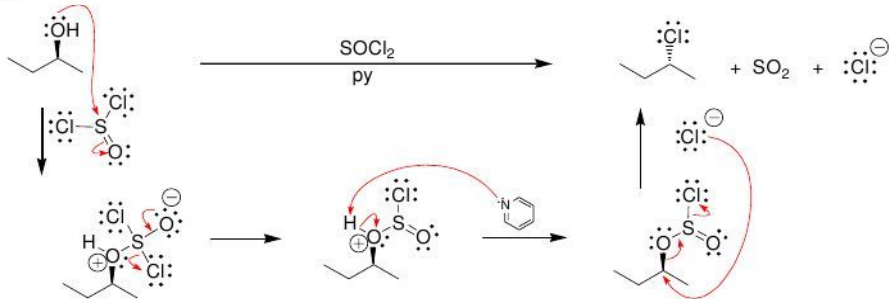


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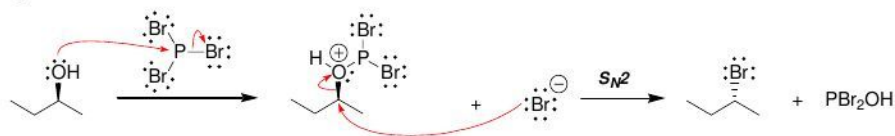
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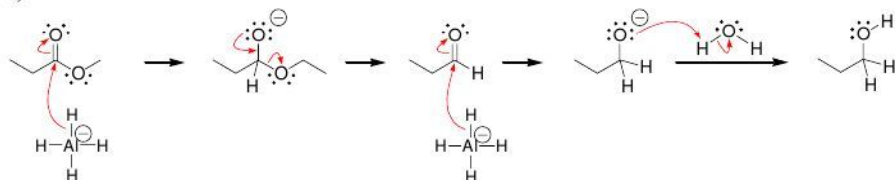




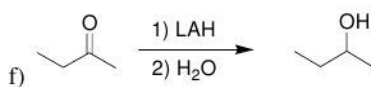
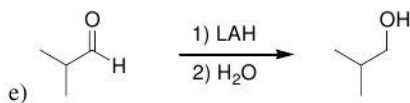
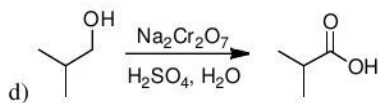
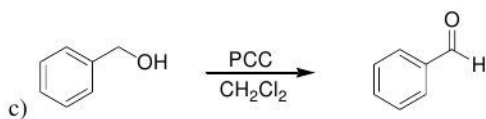
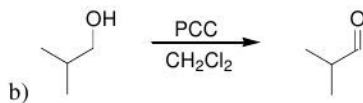
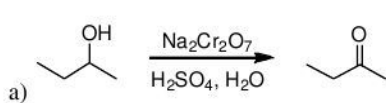
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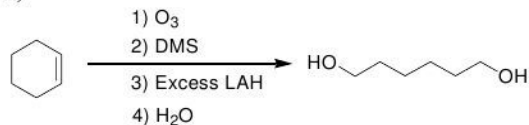


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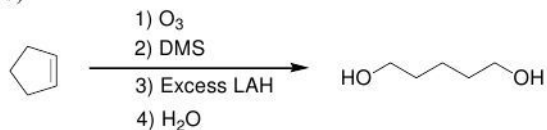


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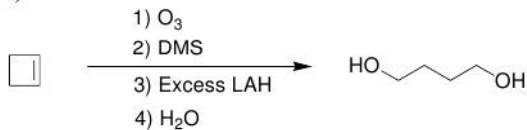
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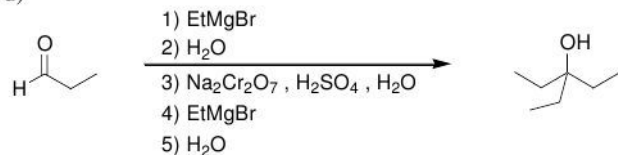
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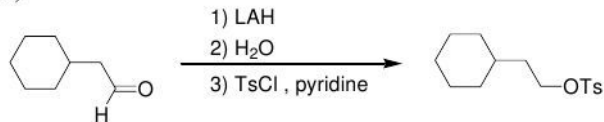
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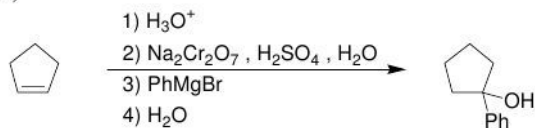
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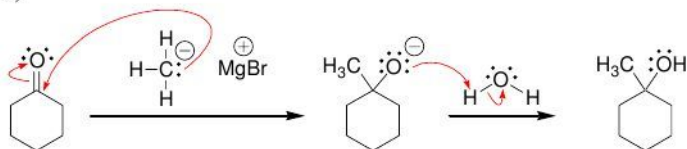
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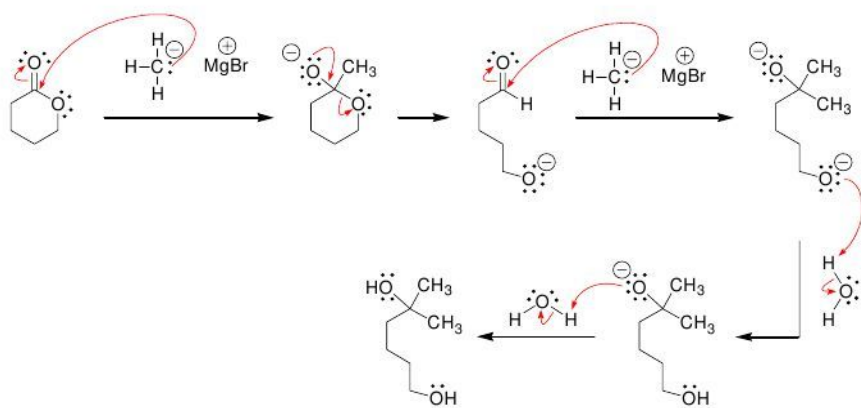
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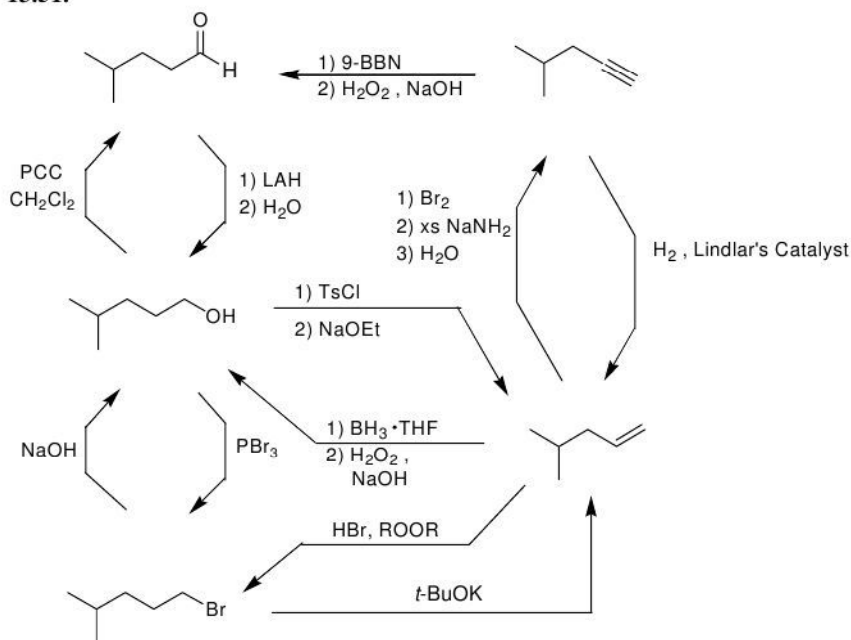
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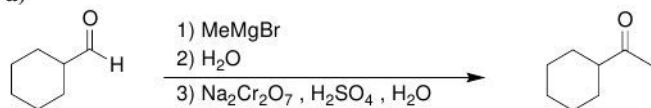


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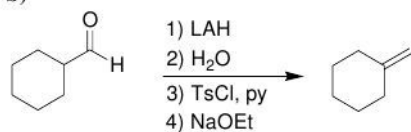


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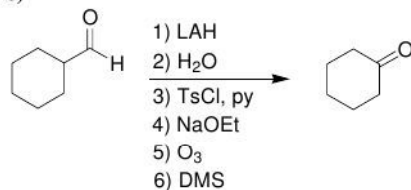
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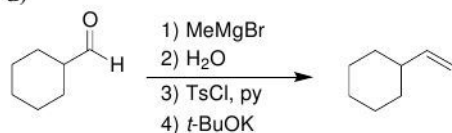
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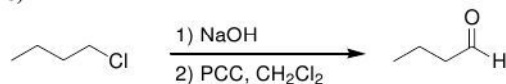
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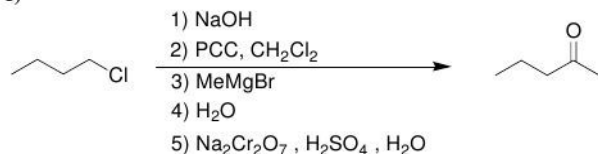
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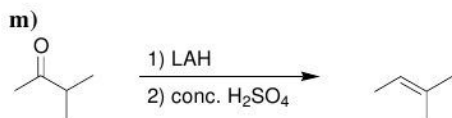
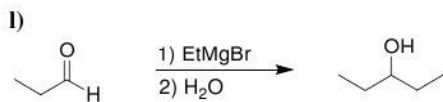
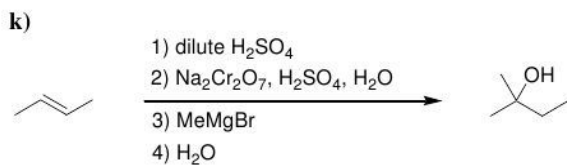
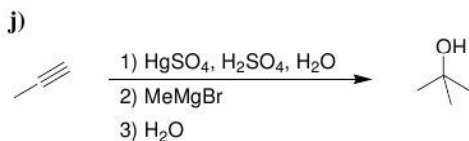
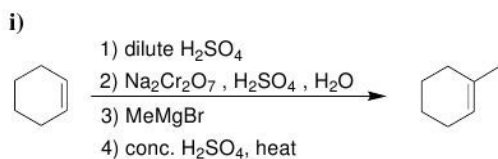
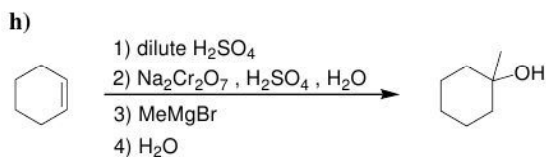
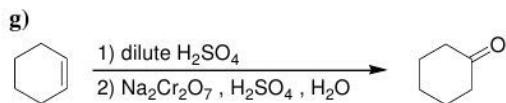


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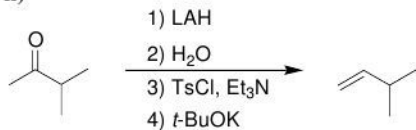


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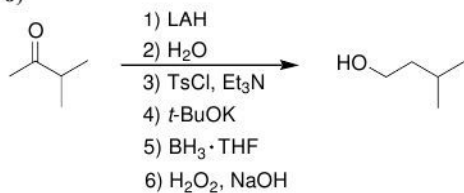




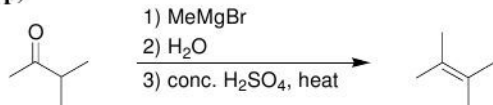
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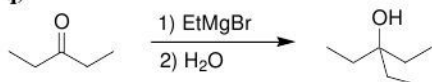
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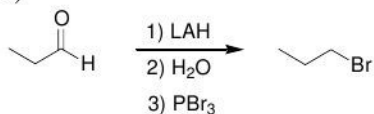
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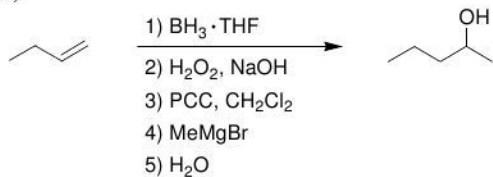
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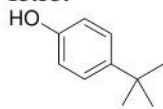
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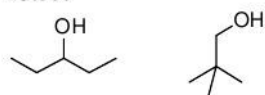
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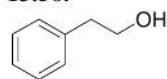
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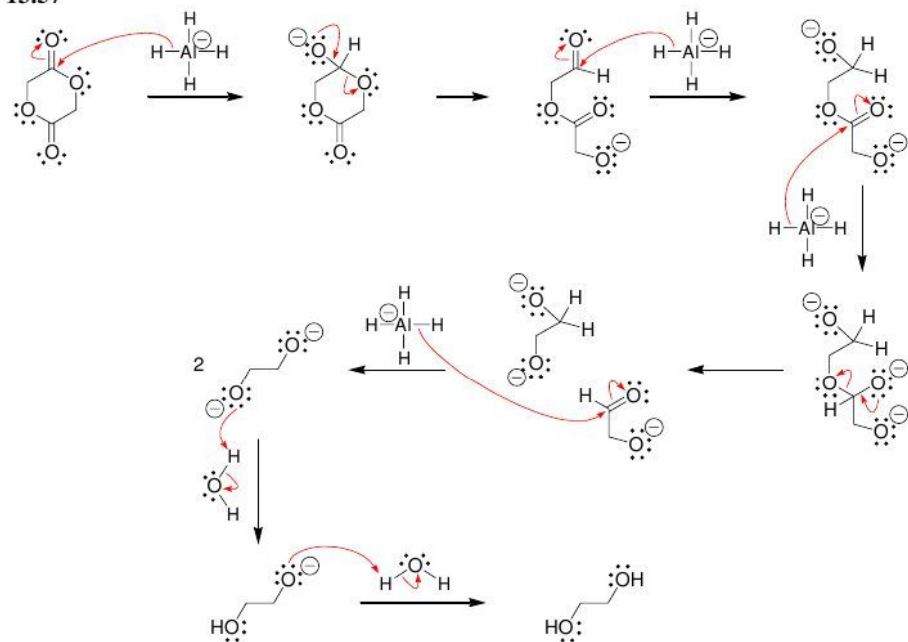
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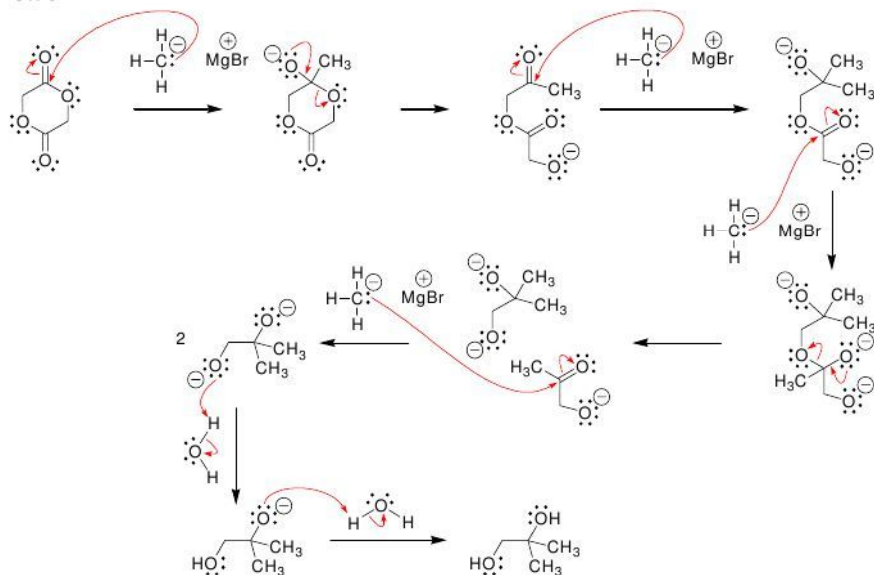
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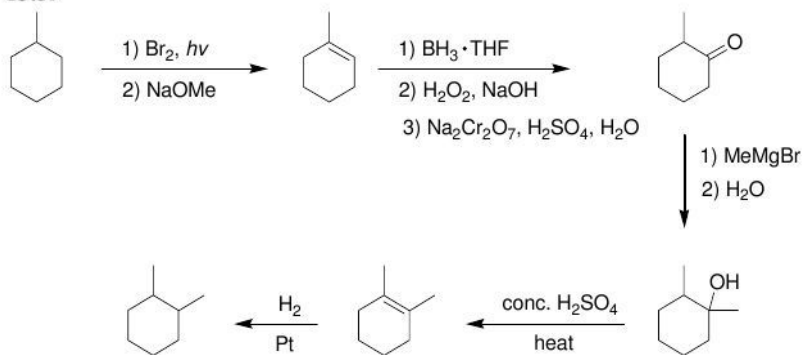
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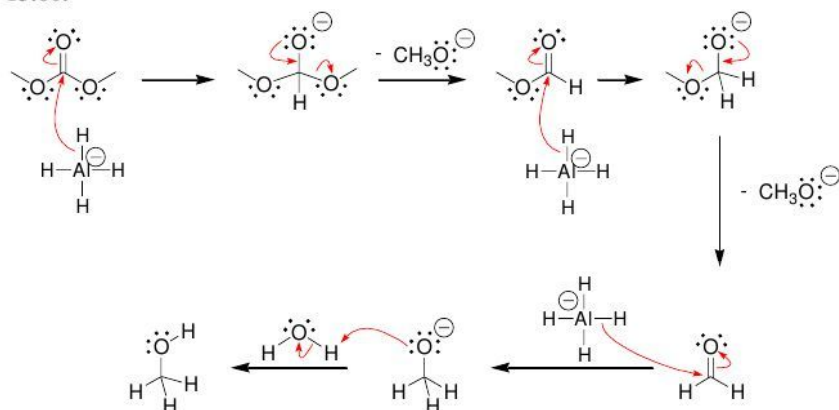


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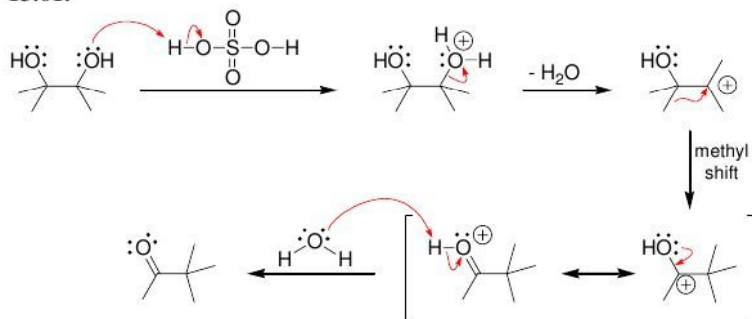




## 13.60.



## 13.61.



**13.62.** One carbon atom is oxidized from an oxidation state of +1 to an oxidation state of +2, while the other carbon atom is reduced from an oxidation state of +1 to an oxidation state of 0. Overall, the starting material does not undergo a net change in oxidation state and is, therefore, neither reduced nor oxidized.

# Chapter 14

## Ethers and Epoxides; Thiols and Sulfides

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 14. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

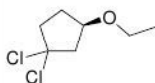
- Ethers are often used as \_\_\_\_\_ for organic reactions.
- Cyclic polyethers, or \_\_\_\_\_ **ethers**, are capable of solvating metal ions in organic (nonpolar) solvents.
- Ethers can be readily prepared from the reaction between an alkoxide ion and an \_\_\_\_\_, a process called a **Williamson ether synthesis**. This process works best for \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ alkyl halides. \_\_\_\_\_ alkyl halides are significantly less efficient, and \_\_\_\_\_ alkyl halides cannot be used.
- When treated with a strong acid, an ether will undergo **acidic** \_\_\_\_\_ in which it is converted into two alkyl halides.
- When a phenyl ether is cleaved under acidic conditions, the products are \_\_\_\_\_ and an alkyl halide.
- Ethers undergo autooxidation in the presence of atmospheric oxygen to form \_\_\_\_\_.
- Substituted oxiranes are also called \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ can be converted into epoxides by treatment with peroxy acids or via halohydrin formation and subsequent epoxidation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ catalysts can be used to achieve the enantioselective epoxidation of allylic alcohols.
- Epoxides will undergo **ring-opening reactions** in: 1) conditions involving a strong nucleophile, or under 2) \_\_\_\_\_-catalyzed conditions. When a strong nucleophile is used, the nucleophile attacks at the \_\_\_\_\_-substituted position.
- Sulfur analogs of alcohols contain an SH group rather than an OH group, and are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Thiols can be prepared via an  $S_N2$  reaction between sodium hydrosulfide (NaSH) and a suitable \_\_\_\_\_.
- The sulfur analogs of ethers (thioethers) are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Sulfides can be prepared from thiols in a process that is essentially the sulfur analog of the Williamson ether synthesis, involving a \_\_\_\_\_ ion, rather than an alkoxide.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 14. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 14.1 Naming an Ether

PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE
- 5) ASSIGN CONFIGURATION



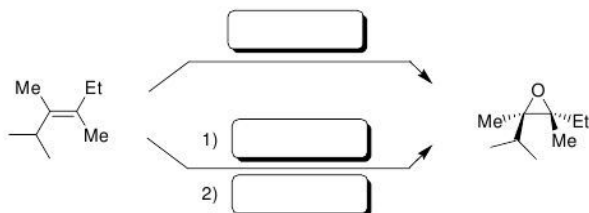
### 14.2 Preparing an Ether via a Williamson Ether Synthesis

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



### 14.3 Preparing Epoxides

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



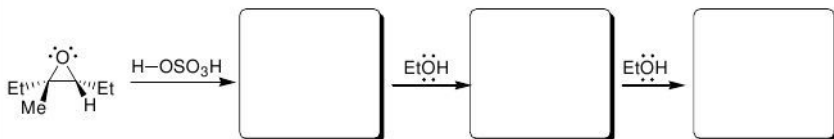
### 14.4 Drawing the Mechanism and Predicting the Product of the Reaction between a Strong Nucleophile and an Epoxide

COMPLETE THE MECHANISM BELOW BY DRAWING ALL CURVED ARROWS, INTERMEDIATES AND PRODUCTS.



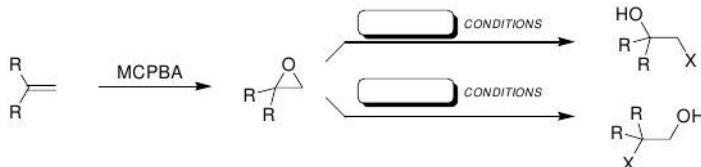
### 14.5 Drawing the Mechanism and Predicting the Product of Acid-Catalyzed Ring-Opening

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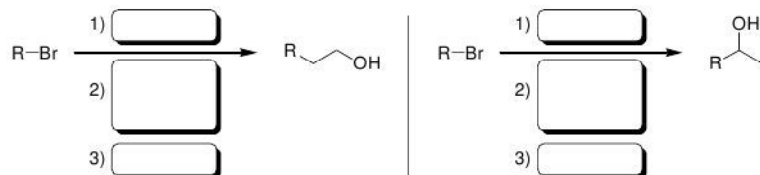
### 14.6 Installing Two Adjacent Functional Groups

IDENTIFY WHETHER EACH RING-OPENING REACTION BELOW REQUIRES ACIDIC CONDITIONS OR BASIC CONDITIONS:



### 14.7 Choosing the Appropriate Grignard Reaction

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATIONS:



## Review of Reactions

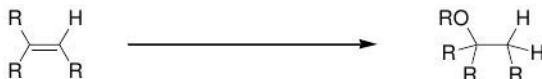
Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 14. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

### Preparation of Ethers

#### Williamson ether synthesis



#### Alkoxymercuration-demercuration



## Reactions of Ethers

### Acidic cleavage



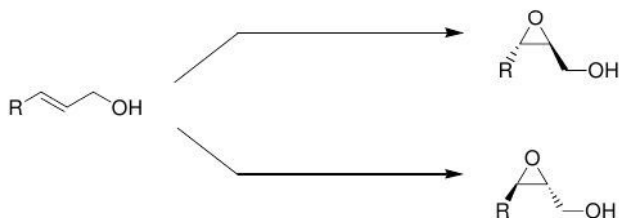
### Autooxidation



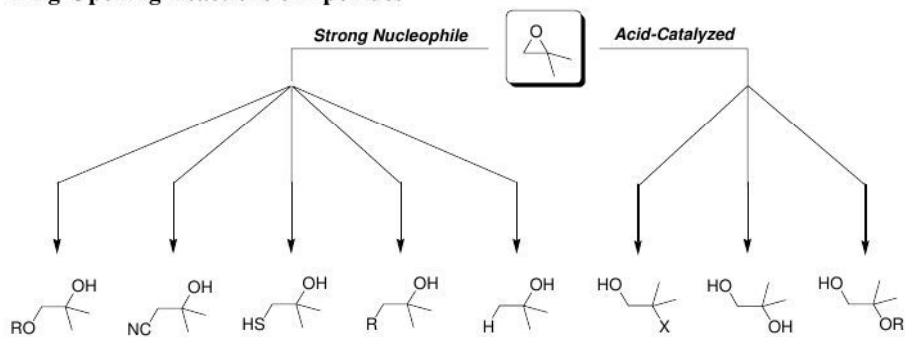
## Preparation of Epoxides



## Enantioselective Epoxidation

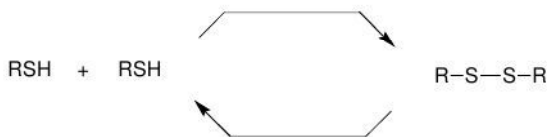


## Ring-Opening Reactions of Epoxides

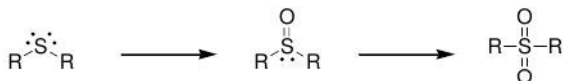


## Thiols and Sulfides

### Thiols



### Sulfides



## Solutions

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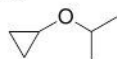
- 2-ethoxypropane
- (S)-2-chloro-1-ethoxypropane
- 2,4-dichloro-1-ethoxybenzene
- (1R,2R)-2-ethoxycyclohexanol
- 1-ethoxycyclohexene

### 14.2.

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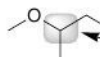
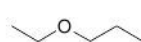
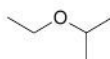
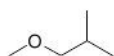


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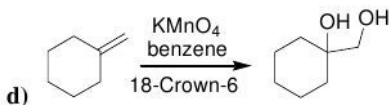
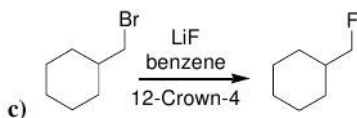
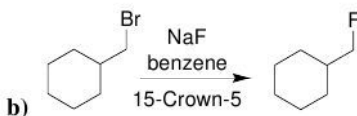
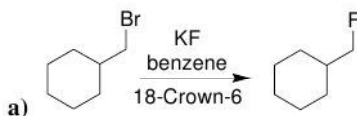


## 14.3.

Common names in parentheses:

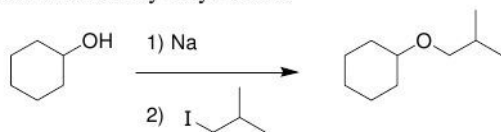
1-methoxybutane  
(butyl methyl ether)2-methoxybutane  
(*sec*-butyl methyl ether)1-ethoxypropane  
(ethyl propyl ether)2-ethoxypropane  
(ethyl isopropyl ether)1-methoxy-2-methylpropane  
(isobutyl methyl ether)2-methoxy-2-methylpropane  
(*tert*-butyl methyl ether)

## 14.4.

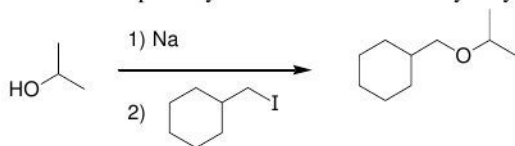


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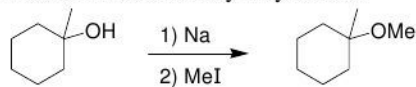
a) A Williamson ether synthesis will be more efficient with a less sterically hindered substrate, since the process involves an  $S_N2$  reaction. Therefore, in this case, it is better to start with a secondary alcohol and a primary alkyl halide, rather than a primary alcohol and a secondary alkyl halide:



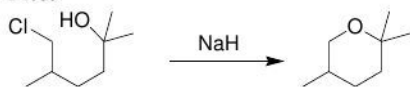
**b)** In this case, it is better to start with a secondary alcohol and a primary alkyl halide, rather than a primary alcohol and a secondary alkyl halide:



**c)** In this case, it is better to start with a tertiary alcohol and a methyl halide, rather than methanol and a tertiary alkyl halide:

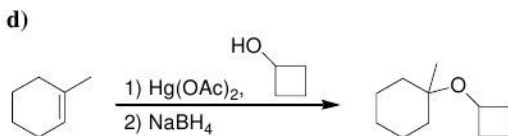
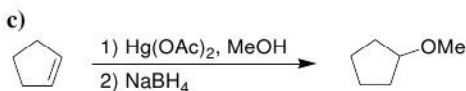
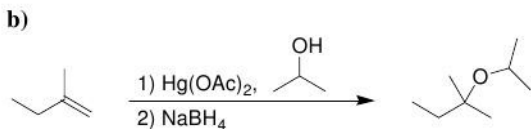
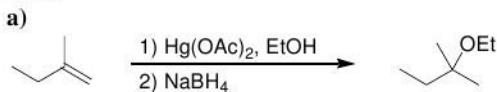


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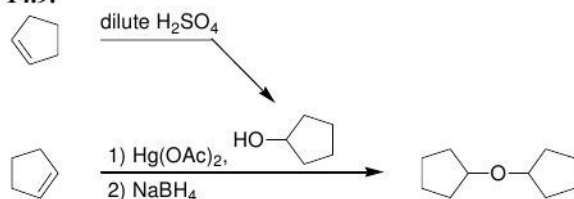
**14.7.** No. The Williamson ether synthesis employs an  $S_N2$  process, which cannot occur readily at tertiary or vinylic positions. Making this ether would require at least one of these two processes, neither of which can be used.

#### 14.8.

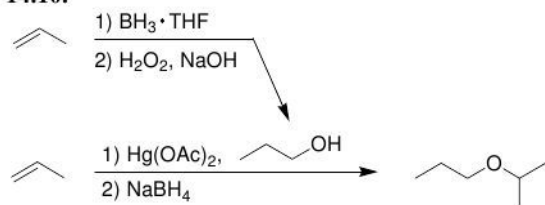




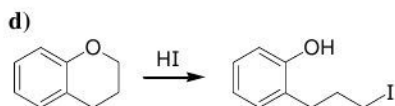
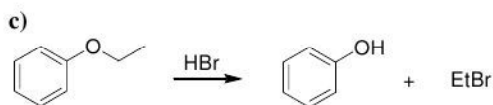
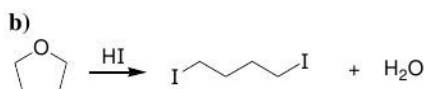
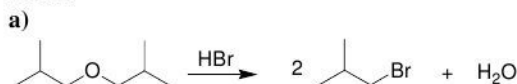
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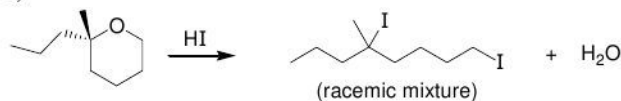
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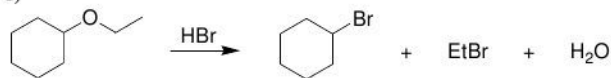
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**14.12.**

- a) 2-methyl-1,2-epoxypropane or 1,1-dimethyloxirane  
 b) 1,1-diphenyl-1,2-epoxyethane or 1,1-diphenyloxirane  
 c) 1,2-epoxycyclohexane

**14.13.**

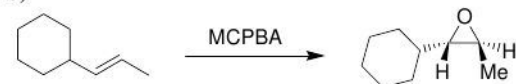
- a) (*S*)-2-phenyl-1,2-epoxypropane or (*S*)-1-methyl-1-phenyloxirane  
 b) (3*R*,4*R*)-3,4-epoxyheptane or (1*R*,2*R*)-1-ethyl-2-propyloxirane  
 c) (2*R*,3*S*)-4-methyl-2,3-epoxypentane or (1*S*,2*R*)-1-isopropyl-2-methyloxirane

**14.14.**

a)



b)



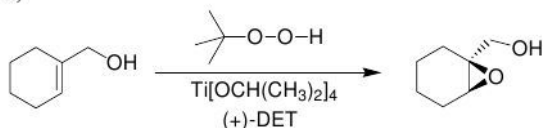
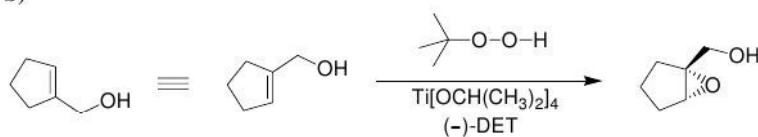
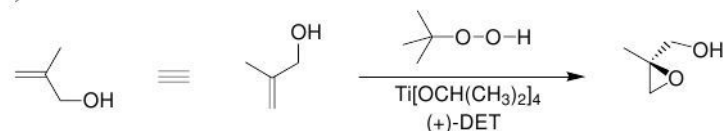
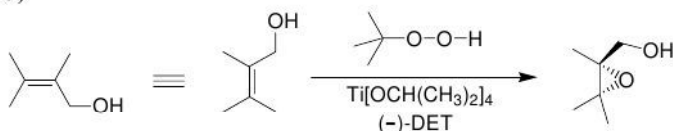
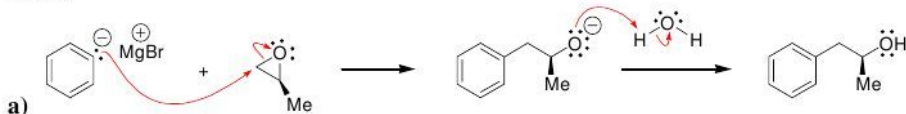
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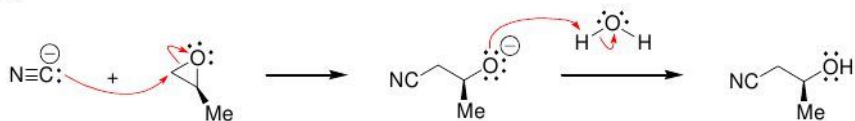
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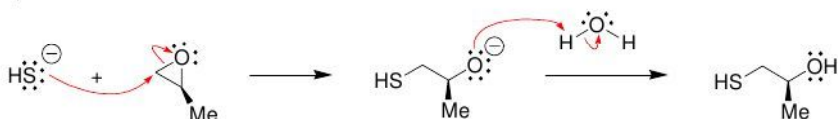
**14.15.** This process for epoxide formation involves deprotonation of the hydroxyl group, followed by an intramolecular  $S_N2$  attack. The  $S_N2$  step requires back-side attack, which can only be achieved when both the hydroxyl group and the bromine occupy axial positions. Due to the steric bulk of a tert-butyl group, Compound A spends most of time in a chair conformation that has the tert-butyl group in an equatorial position. In this conformation, the OH and Br are indeed in axial positions, so the reaction can occur quite rapidly. In contrast, Compound B spends most of its time in a chair conformation in which the OH and Br occupy equatorial positions. The  $S_N2$  process cannot occur from this conformation.

**14.16.****a)****b)****c)****d)****14.17.**

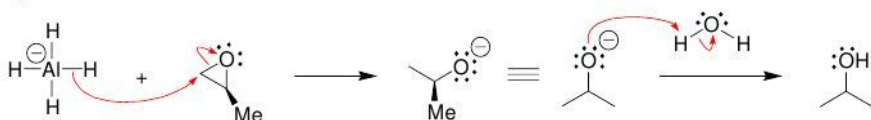
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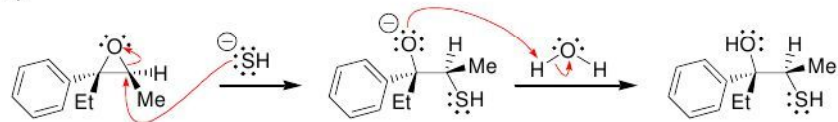
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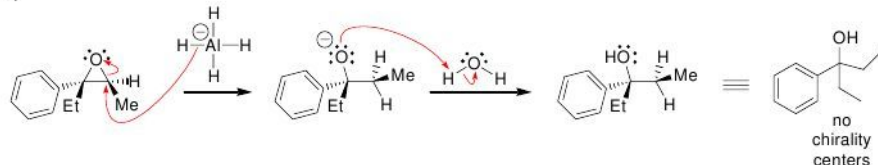
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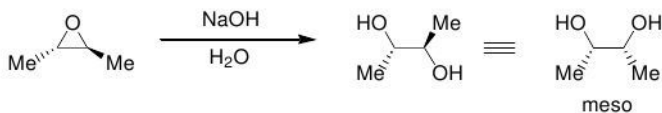
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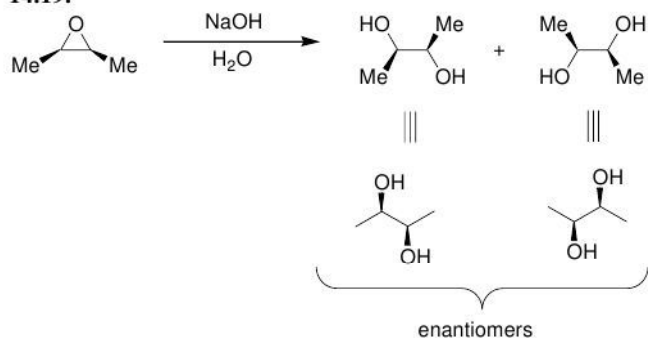
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**14.18.** The reaction yields a meso compound, regardless of which electrophilic position is attacked by hydroxide.

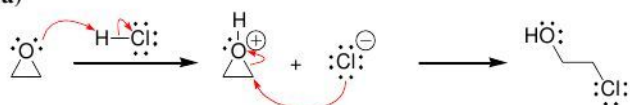


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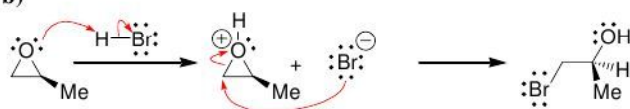


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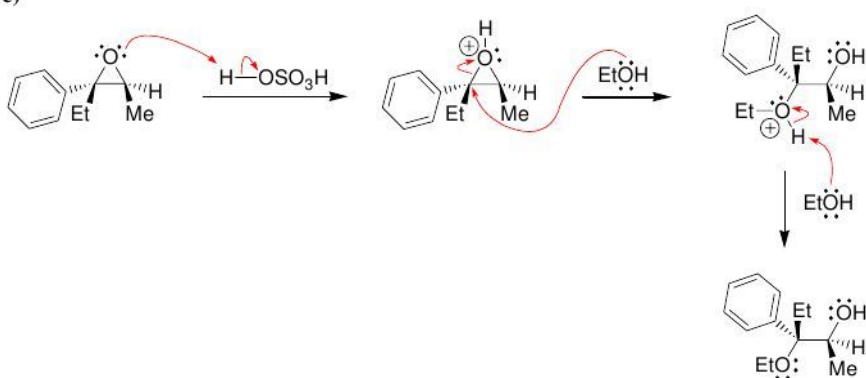
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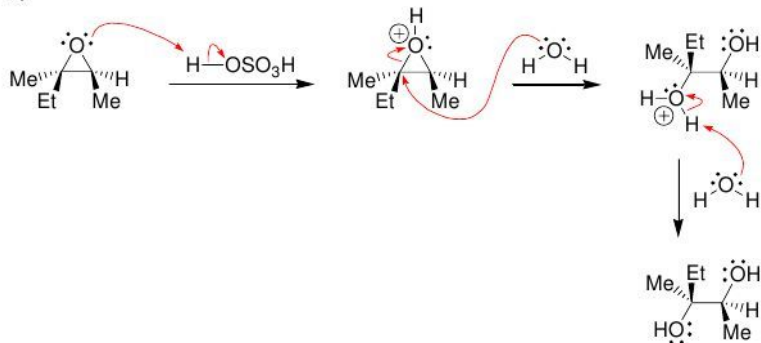
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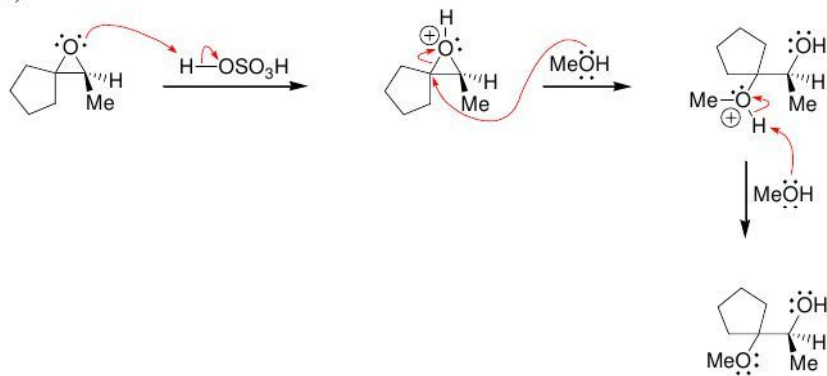
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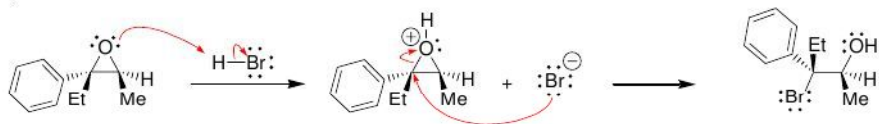
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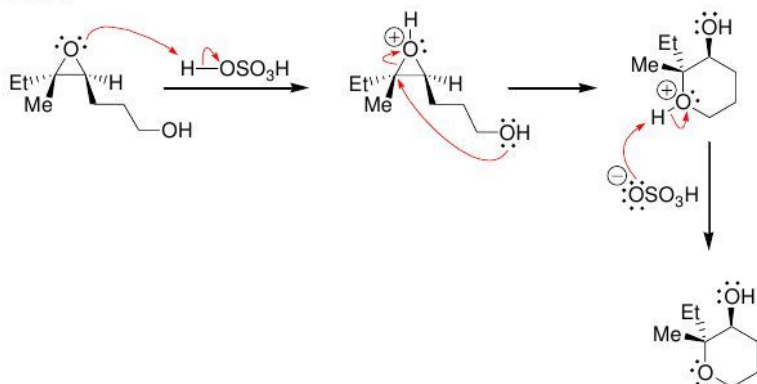
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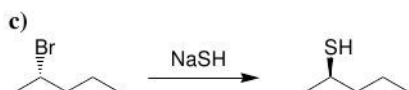
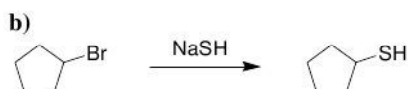
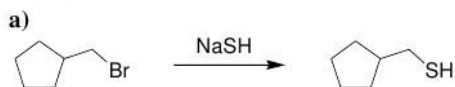
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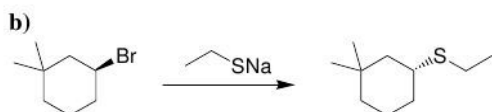
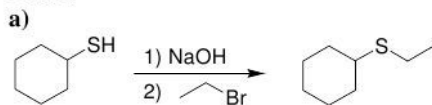
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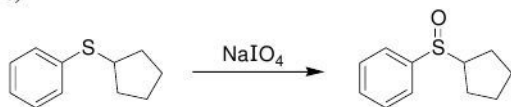
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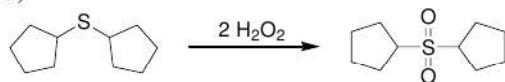
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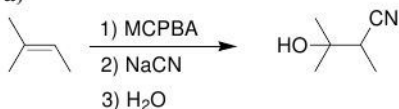


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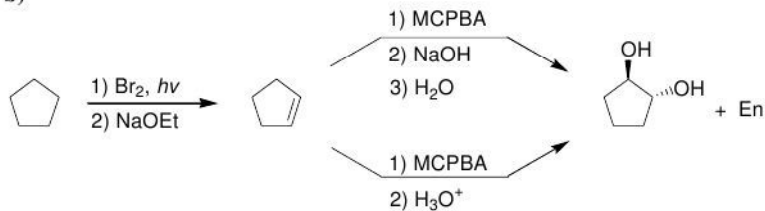


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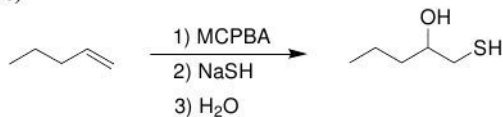
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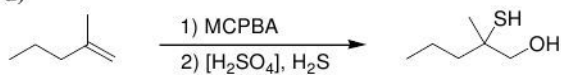
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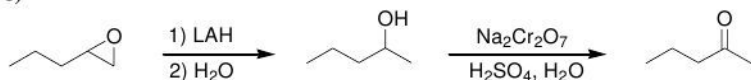
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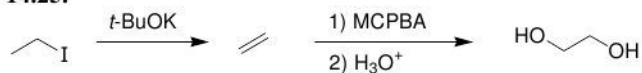


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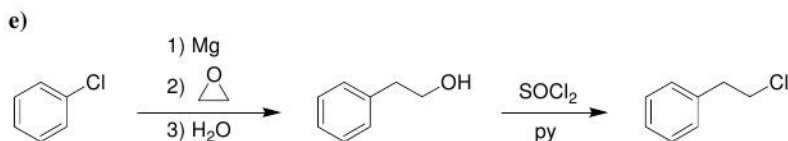
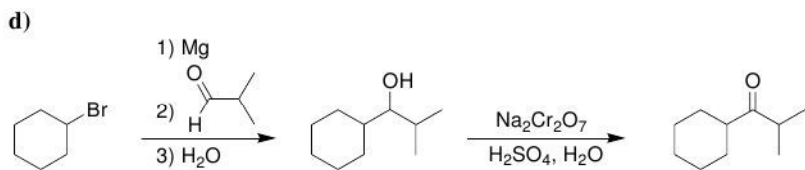
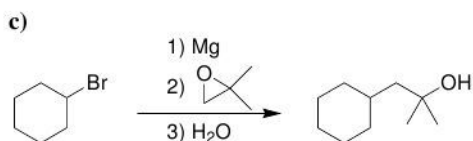
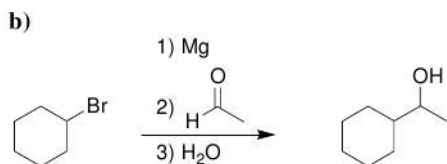
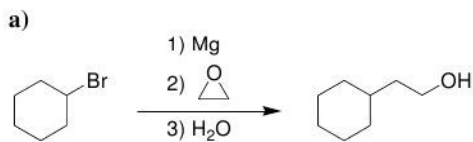




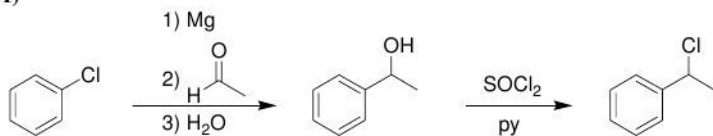
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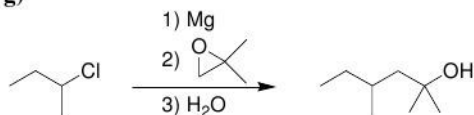
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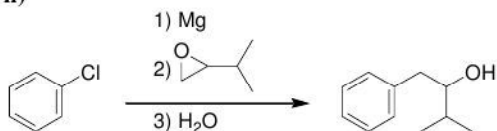
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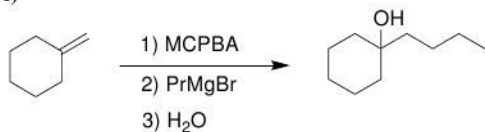
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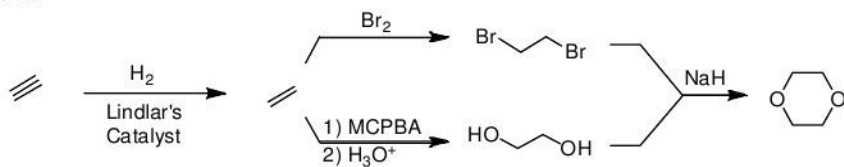
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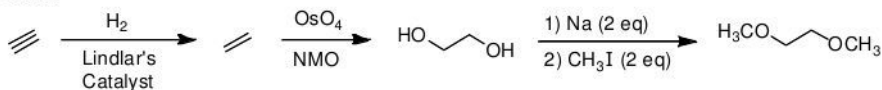
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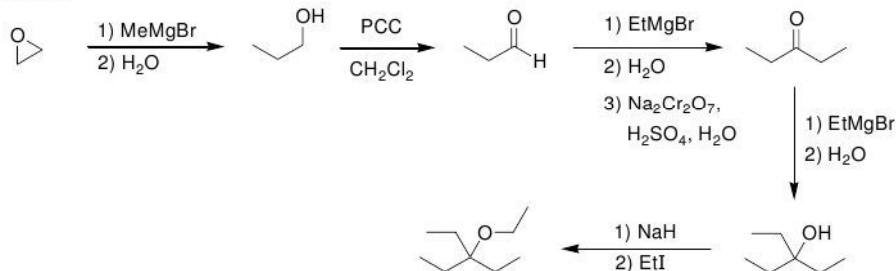
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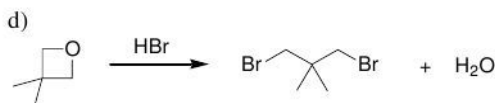
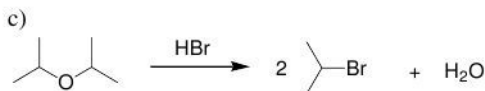
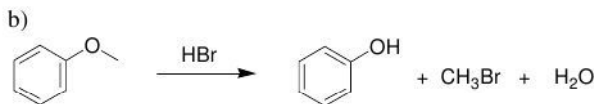
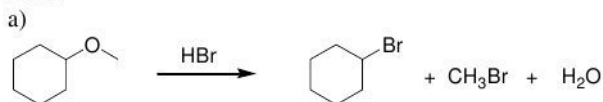
## 14.29.



## 14.30

- (1*S*, 2*S*)-1-ethoxy-2-methylcyclohexane
- (*R*)-2-ethoxybutane
- (*S*)-3-hexanethiol
- ethyl propyl sulfoxide
- (*E*)-2-ethoxy-3-methyl-2-pentene
- 1,2-dimethoxybenzene
- ethyl propyl sulfide

## 14.31



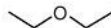
## 14.32



1-methoxypropane  
(methyl propyl ether)



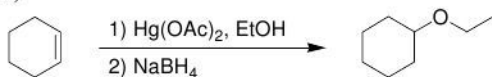
2-methoxypropane  
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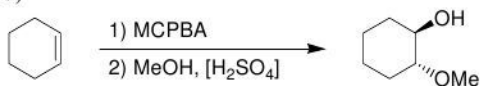
ethoxyethane  
(diethyl ether)

## 14.33

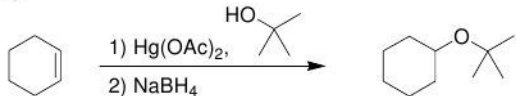
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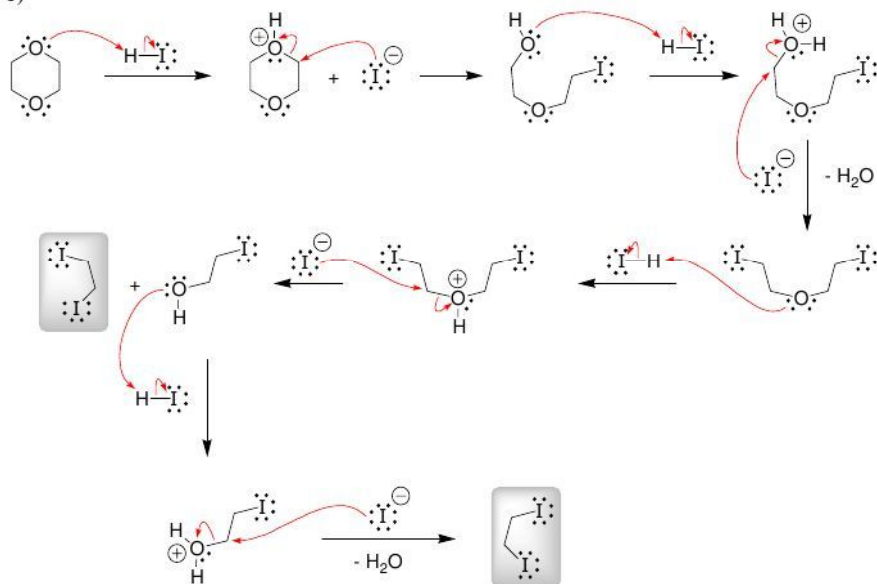
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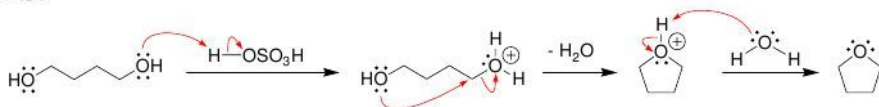
**Compound A**

b) Two moles of Compound A are produced for every one mole of 1,4-dioxane.

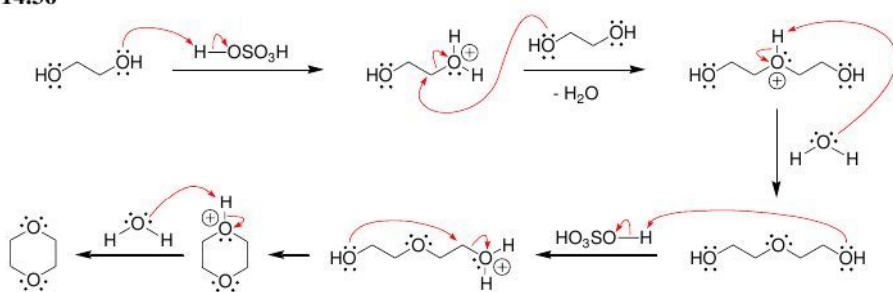
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14.35



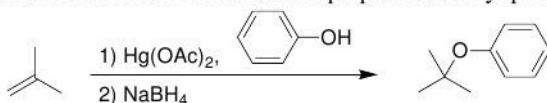
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14.37

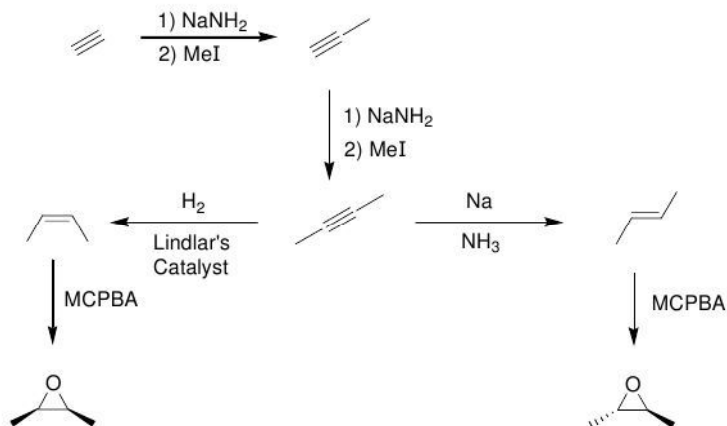
a) Neither alkyl group (on either side of the oxygen atom) can be installed via a Williamson ether synthesis. Installation of the *tert*-butyl group would require a tertiary alkyl halide, which is too sterically hindered to serve as an electrophile for an  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$  process. Installation of the phenyl group would require an  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$  reaction taking place at an  $\text{sp}^2$  hybridized center, which does not readily occur.

b) Oxymercuration-demercuration can be used to prepare *tert*-butyl phenyl ether:

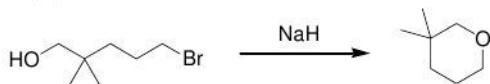


**14.38** Ethylene oxide has a high degree of ring strain, and readily functions as an electrophile in an  $S_N2$  reaction. The reaction opens the ring and alleviates the ring strain. Oxetane has less ring strain and is, therefore, less reactive as an electrophile towards  $S_N2$ . The reaction can still occur, albeit at a slower rate, to alleviate the ring strain associated with the four membered ring. THF has almost no ring strain (very little) and does not function as an electrophile in an  $S_N2$  reaction.

**14.39**

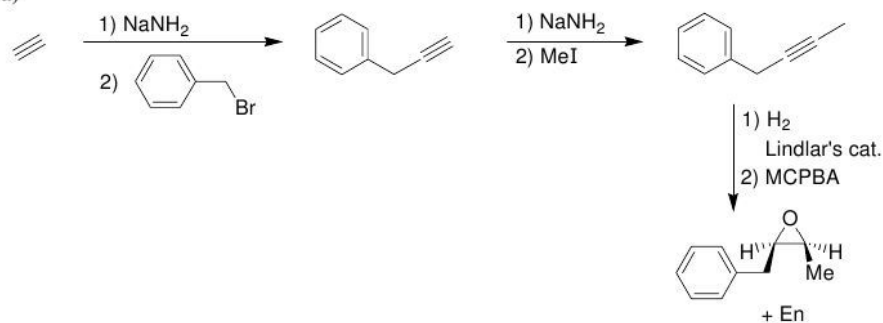


**14.40**

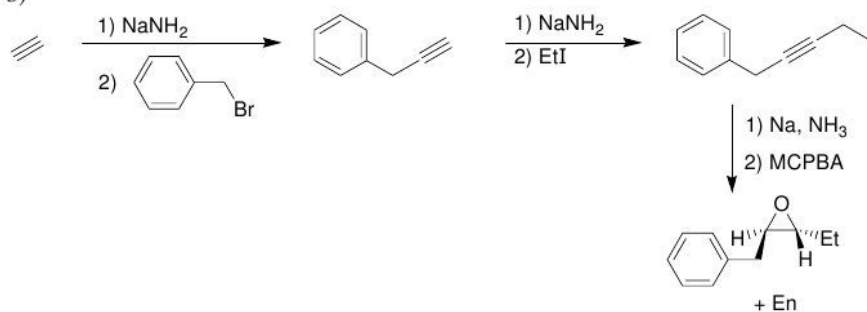


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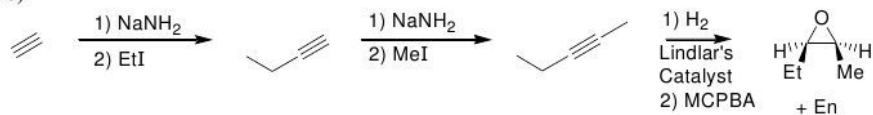
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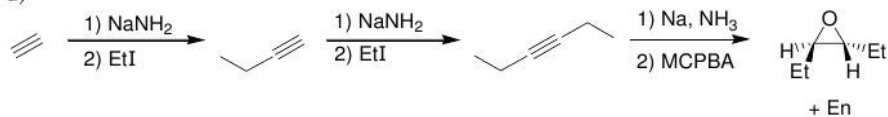
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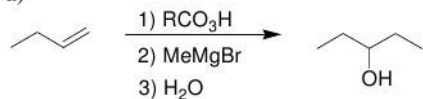


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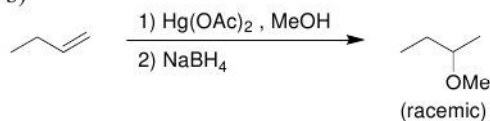


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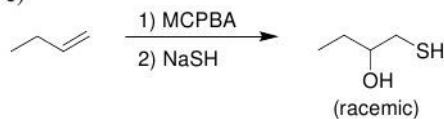
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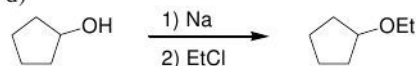
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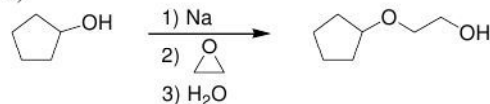
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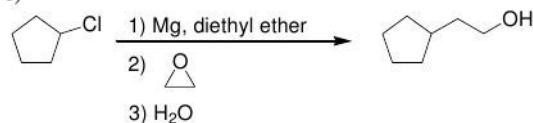
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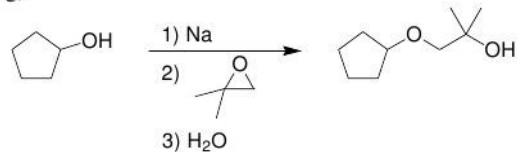
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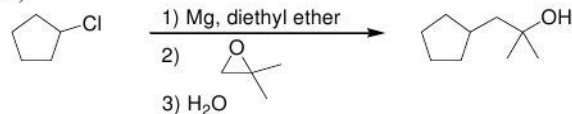
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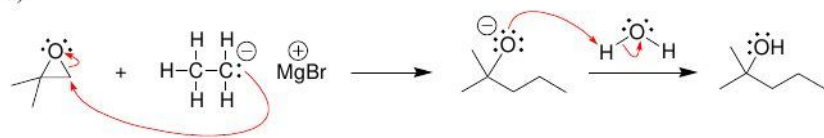
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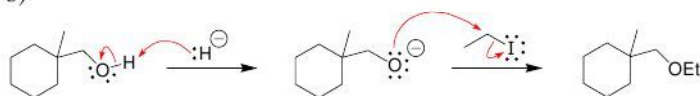


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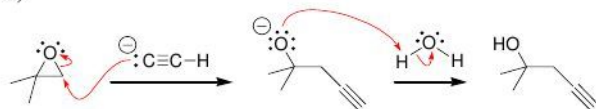
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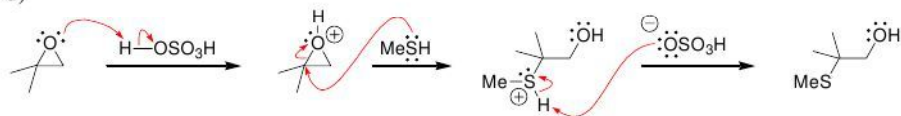
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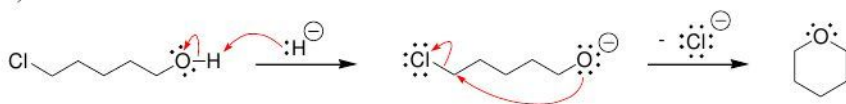
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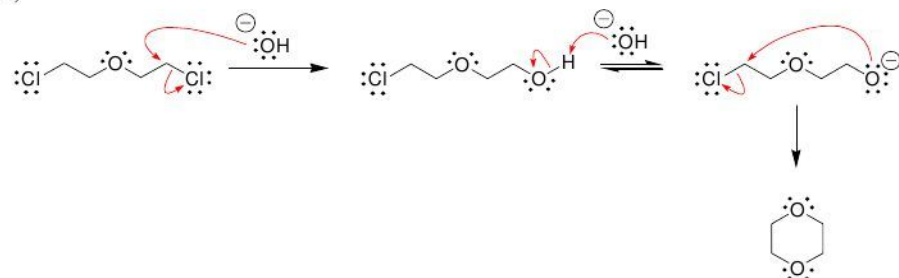
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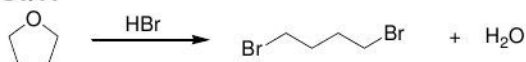
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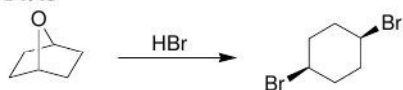
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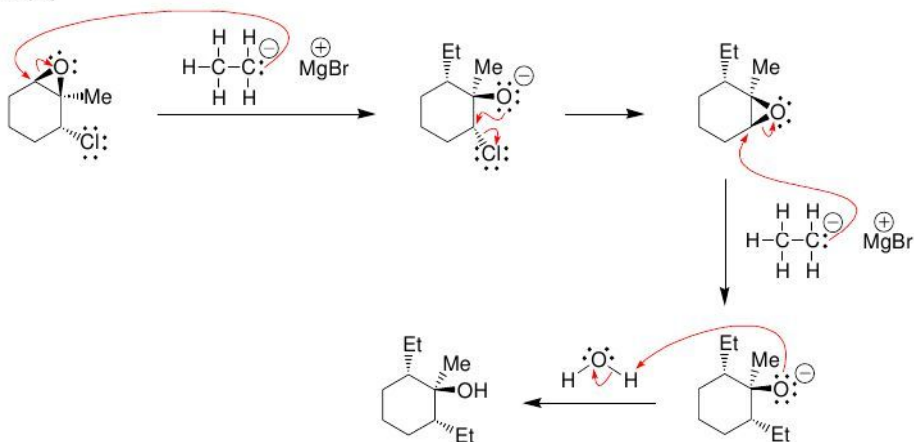
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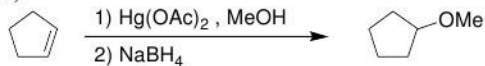


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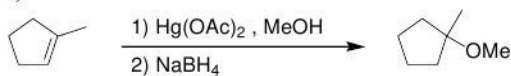


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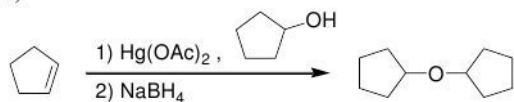
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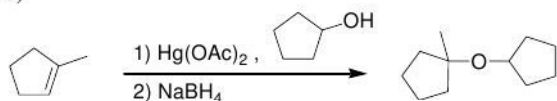
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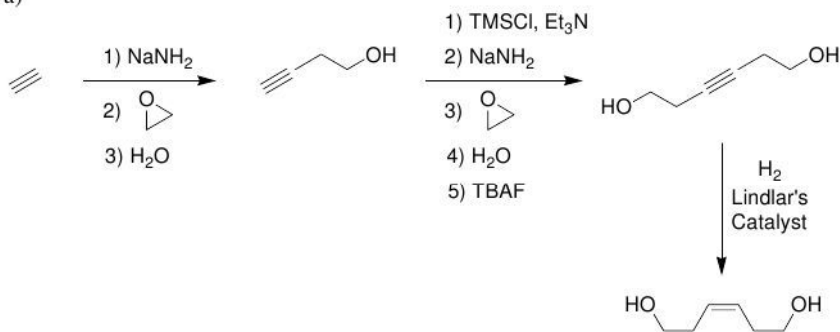


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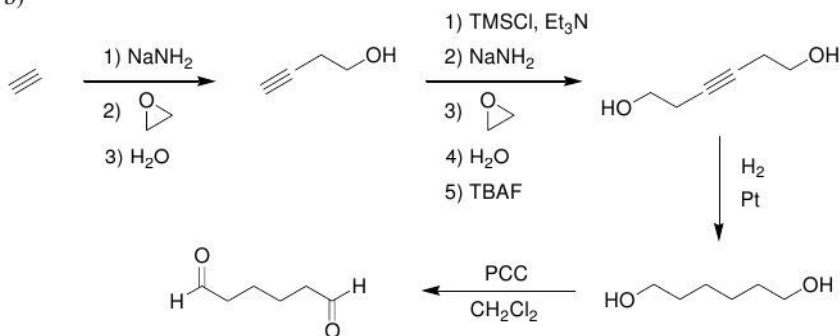


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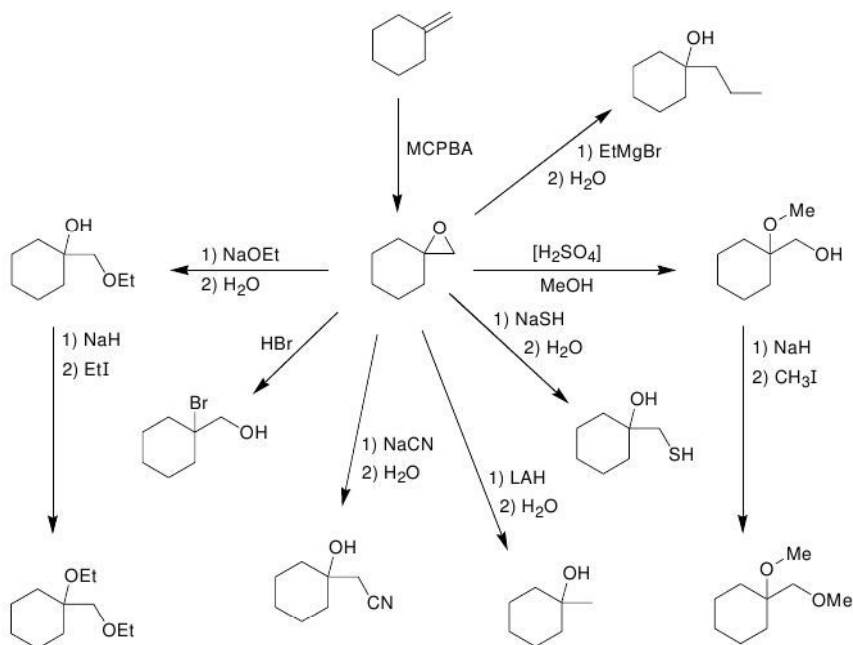
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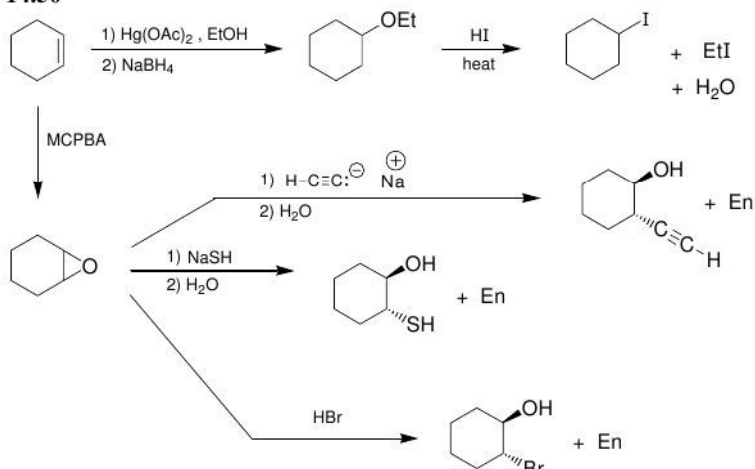
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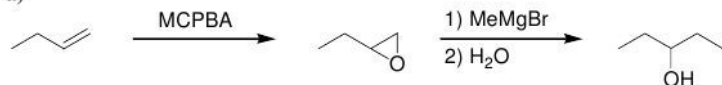


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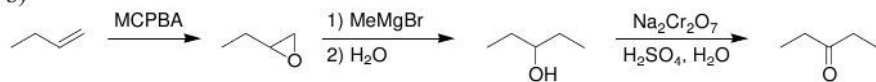


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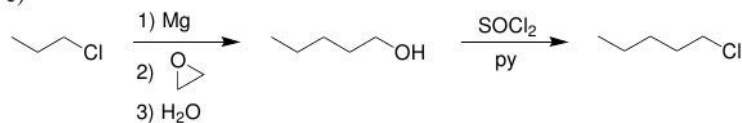
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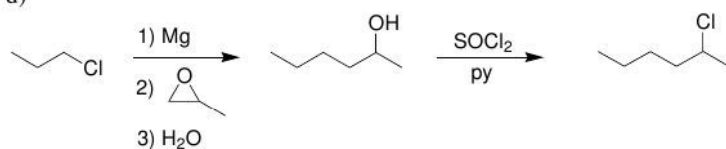
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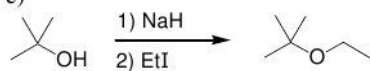
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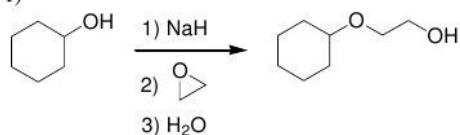
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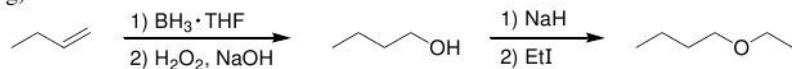
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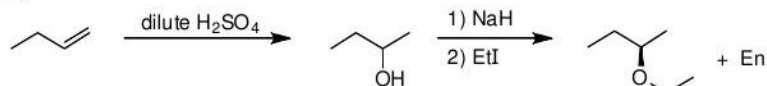
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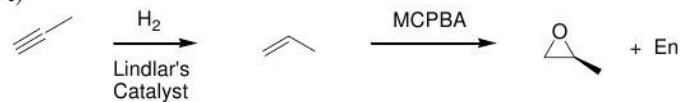
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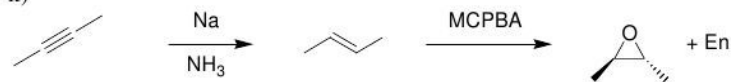
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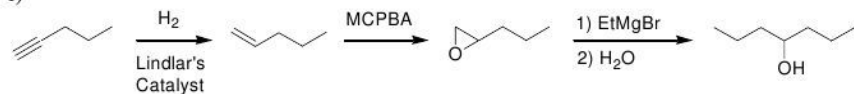
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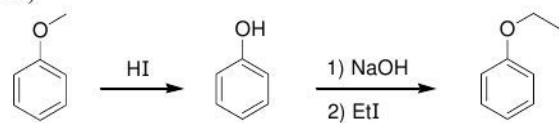
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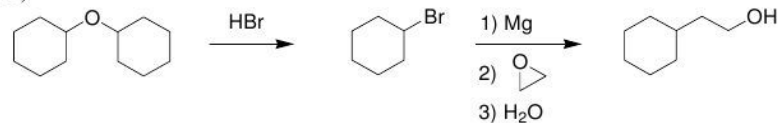
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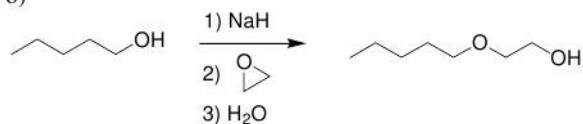
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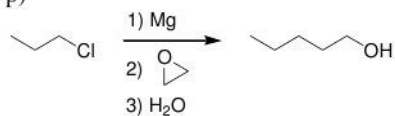
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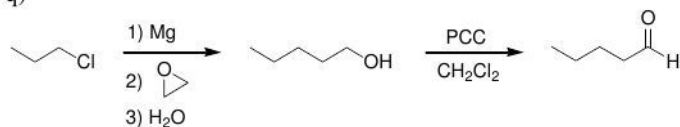
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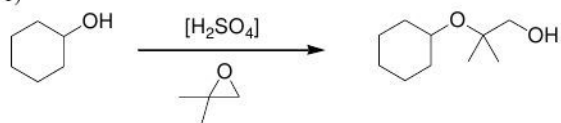
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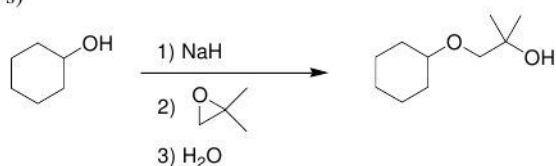
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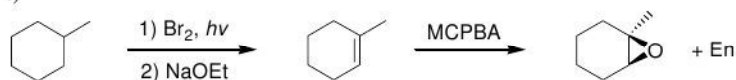
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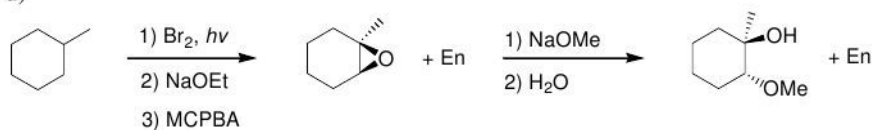
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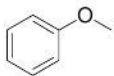
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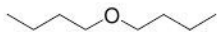
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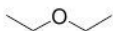
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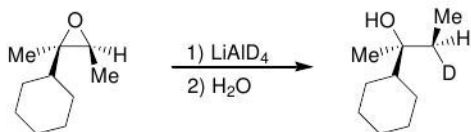
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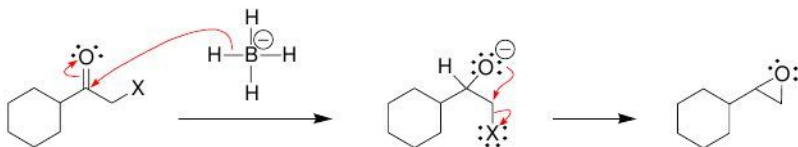
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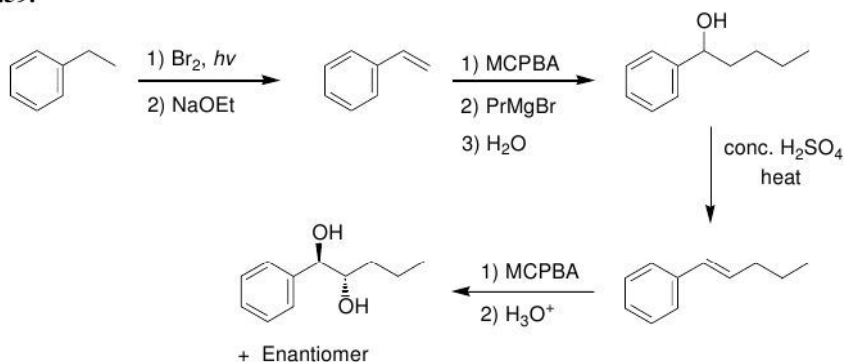
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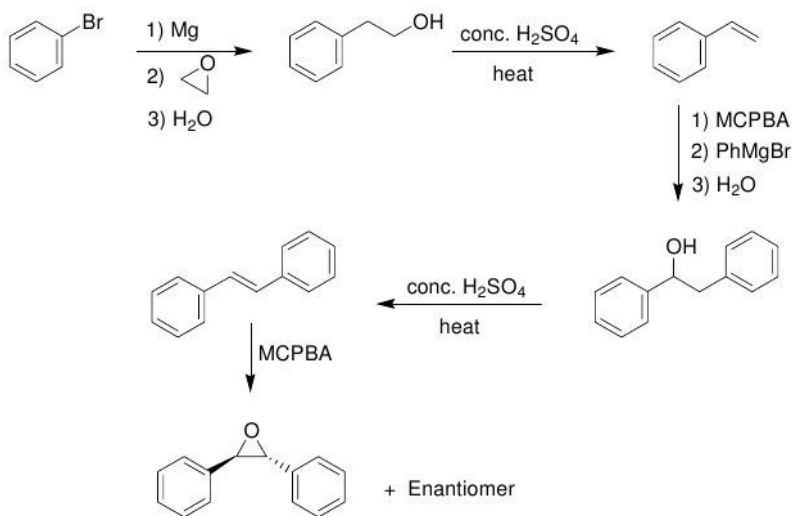
**14.58** When methyloxirane is treated with HBr, the regiochemical outcome is determined by a competition between steric and electronic factors, with steric factors prevailing – the Br is positioned at the less substituted position. However, when phenyloxirane is treated with HBr, electronic factors prevail in controlling the regiochemical outcome. Specifically, the position next to the phenyl group is a benzylic position and can stabilize a large partial positive charge. In such a case, electronic factors are more powerful than steric factors, and the Br is positioned at the more substituted position.



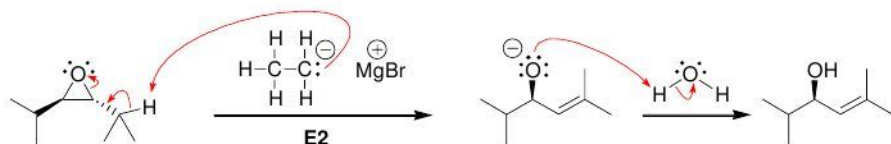
## 14.59.



## 14.60



**14.61** Since the Grignard reagent is both a strong base and a strong nucleophile, substitution and elimination can both occur. Indeed, they compete with each other. As we discussed in Chapter 8, elimination will be favored when the substrate is secondary. Both electrophilic positions in this epoxide are secondary, and so, elimination predominates:



# Chapter 15

## Infrared Spectroscopy and Mass Spectrometry

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 15. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- **Spectroscopy** is the study of the interaction between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- The difference in energy ( $\Delta E$ ) between vibrational energy levels is determined by the nature of the bond. If a photon of light possesses exactly this amount of energy, the bond can absorb the photon to promote a \_\_\_\_\_ **excitation**.
- IR spectroscopy can be used to identify which \_\_\_\_\_ are present in a compound.
- The location of each signal in an IR spectrum is reported in terms of a frequency-related unit called \_\_\_\_\_.
- The wavenumber of each signal is determined primarily by bond \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_ of the atoms sharing the bond.
- The intensity of a signal is dependent on the \_\_\_\_\_ of the bond giving rise to the signal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ C=C bonds do not produce signals.
- Primary amines exhibit two signals resulting from \_\_\_\_\_ **stretching** and \_\_\_\_\_ **stretching**.
- **Mass spectrometry** is used to determine the \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ of a compound.
- **Electron impact ionization (EI)** involves bombarding the compound with high energy \_\_\_\_\_, generating a radical cation that is symbolized by  $(M)^{+\bullet}$  and is called the **molecular ion**, or the \_\_\_\_\_ **ion**.
- Only the molecular ion and the cationic fragments are deflected, and they are then separated by their \_\_\_\_\_ ( $m/z$ ).
- The tallest peak in a mass spectrum is assigned a relative value of 100% and is called the \_\_\_\_\_ **peak**.
- The relative heights of the  $(M)^{+\bullet}$  peak and the  $(M+1)^{+\bullet}$  peak indicates the number of \_\_\_\_\_.
- A signal at  $M-15$  indicates the loss of a \_\_\_\_\_ group; a signal at  $M-29$  indicates the loss of an \_\_\_\_\_ group.
- \_\_\_\_\_ alkanes have a molecular formula of the form  $C_nH_{2n+2}$ .
- Each double bond and each ring represents one **degree of** \_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 15. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 15.1 Analyzing an IR Spectrum

<b>STEP 1 - LOOK FOR _____ BONDS BETWEEN 1600 AND 1850</b>  <b>GUIDELINES:</b> C=O BONDS PRODUCE _____ SIGNALS  C=C BONDS GENERALLY PRODUCE _____ SIGNALS. SYMMETRICAL C=C BONDS DO NOT APPEAR AT ALL	<b>STEP 2 - LOOK FOR _____ BONDS BETWEEN 2100 AND 2300</b>  <b>GUIDELINES:</b> _____ TRIPLE BONDS DO NOT PRODUCE SIGNALS	<b>STEP 3 - LOOK FOR _____ BONDS BETWEEN 2750 AND 4000</b>  <b>GUIDELINES:</b> DRAW A LINE AT 3000, AND LOOK FOR _____ OR _____ C-H BONDS TO THE LEFT OF THE LINE  THE SHAPE OF AN O-H SIGNAL IS AFFECTED BY _____ (DUE TO H-BONDING)  PRIMARY AMINES EXHIBIT TWO N-H SIGNALS (_____ AND _____ STRETCHING)
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### 15.2 Distinguishing Two Compounds Using IR Spectroscopy

<b>STEP 1 - WORK METHODICALLY THROUGH THE EXPECTED _____ OF EACH COMPOUND</b>	<b>STEP 2 - DETERMINE IF ANY _____ WILL BE PRESENT FOR ONE COMPOUND BUT ABSENT FOR THE OTHER</b>	<b>STEP 3 - FOR EACH EXPECTED SIGNAL, COMPARE FOR ANY POSSIBLE DIFFERENCES IN _____, _____, OR _____.</b>
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### 15.3 Using the Relative Abundance of the (M+1)<sup>++</sup> Peak to Propose a Molecular Formula

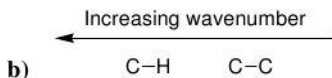
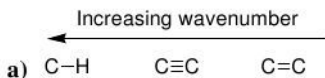
<b>STEP 1 - FILL IN THE BOXES BELOW TO COMPLETE THE FORMULA THAT CAN BE USED TO DETERMINE THE NUMBER OF CARBON ATOMS IN A COMPOUND USING MASS SPECTROMETRY:</b>  $\left( \frac{\text{abundance of } \boxed{\phantom{000}} \text{ Peak}}{\text{abundance of } \boxed{\phantom{000}} \text{ Peak}} \right) \times 100\%$ <p style="text-align: center;">1.1 %</p>	<b>STEP 2 - ANALYZE THE MASS OF THE MOLECULAR ION TO DETERMINE IF ANY _____ ARE PRESENT.</b>
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### 15.4 Calculating HDI

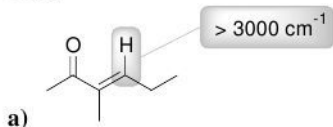
<b>STEP 1 - REWRITE THE MOLECULAR FORMULA "AS IF" THE COMPOUND HAD NO ELEMENTS OTHER THAN C AND H, USING THE FOLLOWING RULES:</b>  - ADD ONE H FOR EACH _____  - IGNORE ALL _____ ATOMS  - SUBTRACT ONE H FOR EACH _____	<b>STEP 2 - DETERMINE WHETHER ANY H'S ARE MISSING. EVERY TWO H'S REPRESENTS ONE DEGREE OF UNSATURATION:</b>  $C_4H_9Cl \longrightarrow \text{HDI} = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  $C_4H_8O \longrightarrow \text{HDI} = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$  $C_4H_7N \longrightarrow \text{HDI} = \underline{\hspace{1cm}}$
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## Solutions

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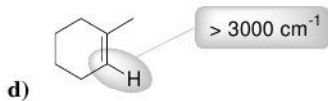


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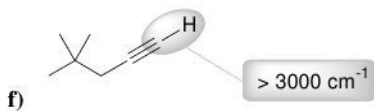


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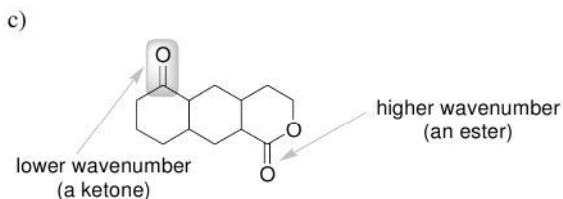
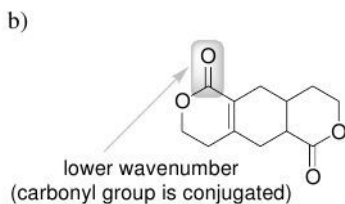
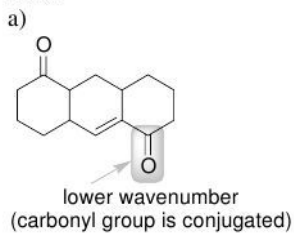
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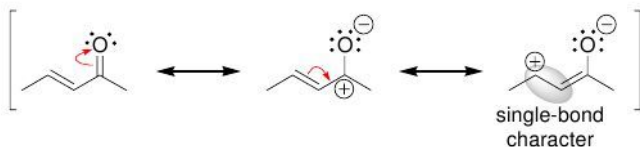
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
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


**15.4.** The C=C bond in the conjugated compound produces a signal at lower wavenumber because it has some single bond character, as seen in the third resonance structure below:

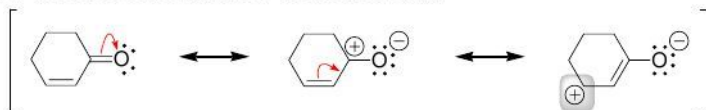


**15.5.**

a)  The presence of the Cl will cause the C=C bond in this compound to have a larger dipole moment than the C=C bond in the other compound.

b)  The C=C bond in this compound will have a larger dipole moment than the C=C bond in the other compound.

**15.6.** The C=C bond in 2-cyclohexenone has a large dipole moment, as can be rationalized with the third resonance structure below:



**15.7.** The vinylic C-H bond should produce a signal above  $3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

**15.8.** The narrow signal is produced by the O-H stretching in the absence of hydrogen bonding effect. The broad signal is produced by O-H stretching when hydrogen bonding is present. Hydrogen bonding effectively lowers the bond strength of the O-H bonds, because each hydrogen atom is slightly pulled away from the oxygen to which it is connected. A longer bond length (albeit temporary) corresponds with a weaker bond, which corresponds with a lower wavenumber.

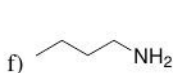
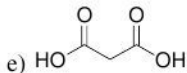
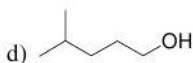
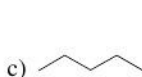
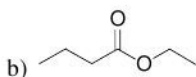
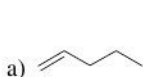
**15.9.**

a) ROH      b) neither      c)  $\text{RCO}_2\text{H}$       d) neither      e) ROH      f)  $\text{RCO}_2\text{H}$

**15.10.**

- a) ketone      b)  $\text{RCO}_2\text{H}$       c)  $\text{R}_2\text{NH}$       d)  $\text{RNH}_2$       e)  $\text{ROH}$       f) ketone

**15.11.** The  $\text{C}_{\text{sp}^3}\text{—H}$  bonds can stretch symmetrically, asymmetrically, or in a variety of ways with respect to each other. Each one of these possible stretching modes is associated with a different wavenumber of absorption.

**15.12.****15.13.**

- 1) The O-H bond of the carboxylic acid moiety (expected to be  $2200 - 3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ )
- 2) The vinylic C-H bond (expected to be  $\sim 3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$ )
- 3) All other C-H bonds (expected to be  $<3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ )
- 4) The C=O bond of the carboxylic acid moiety (expected to be  $\sim 1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$ )
- 5) The C=C bond (expected to be  $\sim 1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$ )

**15.14.**

a) The starting material is an alcohol and is expected to produce a typical signal for an O-H stretch—a broad signal between  $3200 - 3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In contrast, the product is a carboxylic acid and is expected to produce an even broader O-H signal ( $2200 - 3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ ) as a result of more extensive hydrogen bonding. Alternatively, the product can be differentiated from the starting material by looking for a signal at around  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The product has a C=O bond and should exhibit this signal. The starting material lacks a C=O bond and will not show a signal at  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

b) The starting material is secondary amine and is expected to produce a typical signal for an N-H stretch at around  $3400\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In contrast, the product is a tertiary amine and is not expected to produce a signal above  $3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

c) The starting material is an unsymmetrical alkyne and is expected to produce a signal at around  $2200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In contrast, the product is an unsymmetrical alkene and is expected to produce a signal at around  $1600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Also, the product has vinylic C-H bonds that are absent in the starting material. The product is expected to have a signal at around  $3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , and the starting material will have no signal in that region.

d) The  $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$  bond in the starting material and the  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  bond in the product are both symmetrical and will not produce signals. However the product has vinylic C-H bonds that are absent in the starting material. The product is expected to have a signal at around  $3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , and the starting material will have no signal in that region.

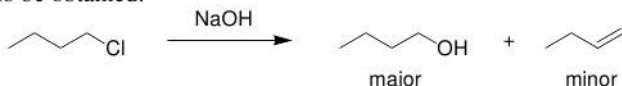
e) The starting material will have two signals in the double-bond region: one for the  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  bond and one for the  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  bond. The product only has one signal in the double-bond region. It only has the signal for the  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  bond, which is now at higher wavenumber because it is no longer in conjugation.

**15.15.** The starting material has a cyano group ( $\text{C}\equiv\text{N}$ ) and is expected to produce a signal at around  $2200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In contrast, the product is a carboxylic acid and is expected to produce a broad signal from  $2200 - 3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , as well as a signal at  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$  for the  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  bond.

**15.16.** The  $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$  bond in the starting material (1-butyne) is unsymmetrical and produces a signal at  $2200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , corresponding with the  $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$  stretch. In contrast, the  $\text{C}\equiv\text{C}$  bond in the product (3-hexyne) is symmetrical and does not produce a signal at  $2200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

**15.17.** The starting material should have a  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  signal at  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while the product should have an O-H signal at  $3200 - 3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

**15.18.** 1-chlorobutane is primary substrate. When treated with sodium hydroxide, substitution is expected to dominate over elimination (see Chapter 8), but both products are expected to be obtained:



The substitution product is an alcohol and should have a broad signal from  $3200 - 3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The elimination product is an unsymmetrical alkene and is expected to give a  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  signal at approximately  $1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , as well as a vinylic C-H signal at  $3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

**15.19.**a)  $m/z = 68$  $m/z = 66$ b)  $m/z = 78$  $m/z = 79$ **15.20.**

- a) This compound does not have any nitrogen atoms. According to the nitrogen rule, this compound should have an even molecular weight ( $m/z = 86$ ).
- b) This compound does not have any nitrogen atoms. According to the nitrogen rule, this compound should have an even molecular weight ( $m/z = 100$ ).
- c) This compound has one nitrogen atom. According to the nitrogen rule, this compound should have an odd molecular weight ( $m/z = 101$ ).
- d) This compound has two nitrogen atoms. According to the nitrogen rule, this compound should have an even molecular weight ( $m/z = 102$ ).

**15.21.**

- a) There must be four carbon atoms, and the molecular weight must be 72. The molecular formula could be  $C_4H_8O$ .
- b) There must be four carbon atoms, and the molecular weight must be 68. The molecular formula could be  $C_4H_4O$ .
- c) There must be four carbon atoms, and the molecular weight must be 54. The molecular formula could be  $C_4H_6$ .
- d) There must be seven carbon atoms, and the molecular weight must be 96. The molecular formula could be  $C_7H_{12}$ .

**15.22.** Each nitrogen atom in the molecular formula of a compound should contribute 0.37% to the  $(M+1)^{++}$  peak. Three nitrogen atoms therefore contribute the same amount (1.1%) as one carbon atom. A compound with molecular formula  $C_8H_{11}N_3$  should have an  $(M+1)^{++}$  peak that is 9.9% as tall as the molecular ion peak. If the molecular ion peak is 24% of the base peak, then the  $(M+1)^{++}$  peak must be 2.4% of the base peak.

**15.23.**

- a) This fragment is  $M - 79$ , which is formed by loss of a Br. So the fragment does not contain Br.



b)



**15.24.**

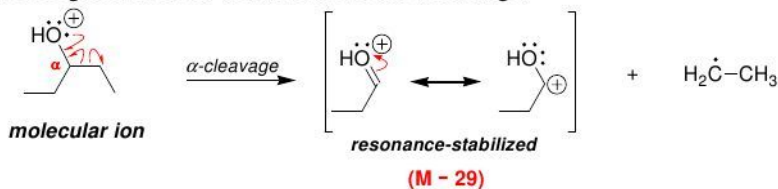
- a) There is not a significant  $(M+2)^{++}$  peak, so neither bromine nor chlorine are present.  
 b) There is not a significant  $(M+2)^{++}$  peak, so neither bromine nor chlorine are present.  
 c) The  $(M+2)^{++}$  peak is approximately equivalent in height to the molecular ion peak, indicating the presence of a bromine atom.  
 d) The  $(M+2)^{++}$  peak is approximately one-third as tall as the molecular ion peak, indicating the presence of a chlorine atom.

**15.25.**

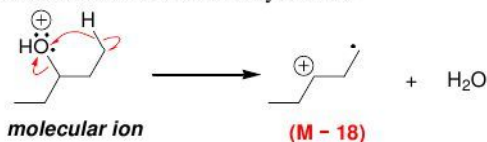
a)



- b) This carbocation is tertiary, and its formation is favored over the other possible secondary and primary carbocations.  
 c) They readily fragment to produce tertiary carbocations.  
 d) M-15 corresponds with loss of a methyl group. Indeed, loss of methyl group would also produce a tertiary carbocation, but at the expense of forming a methyl radical. That pathway is less favorable.

**15.26.** A fragment at M-29 should result from  $\alpha$  cleavage:

and a fragment at M-18 should result from dehydration:

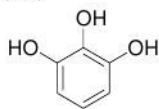


**15.27.** The fragment at M-43 is expected to be the base peak because it corresponds with formation of a tertiary carbocation:

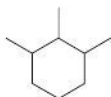


**15.28.** In the first spectrum, the base peak appears at M-29, signifying the loss of an ethyl group. This spectrum is likely the mass spectrum of ethylcyclohexane. The second spectrum has a base peak at M-15, signifying the loss of a methyl group. The second spectrum is likely the mass spectrum of 1,1-dimethylcyclohexane.

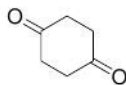
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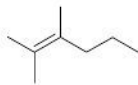
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$m/z = 126.1404$



b)  $m/z = 112.0522$



$m/z = 112.1248$

**15.30.**

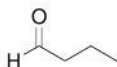
a) The first compound should have a very broad signal between  $3200$  and  $3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , corresponding with O-H stretching. The second compound will not have such a signal.  
 b) The first compound should have a pair of strong signals around  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , corresponding with symmetric and asymmetric stretching of the  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  bonds. In contrast, the second compound will have a weak signal at around  $1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , corresponding to the  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  bond.

**15.31.**

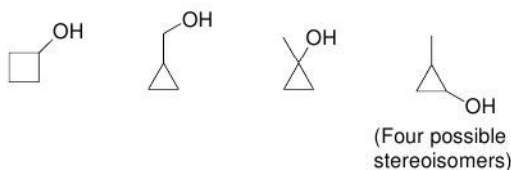
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**15.32.** Both  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_5\text{ClO}_2$  and  $\text{C}_3\text{H}_6$  have one degree of unsaturation.

**15.33.** The compound has one degree and unsaturation, which is a  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  bond. The following are all of the possible structures that have molecular formula  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_8\text{O}$  and contain a  $\text{C}=\text{O}$  bond:



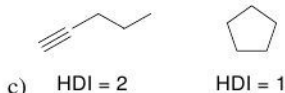
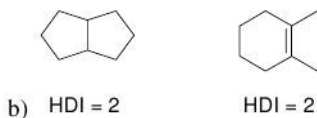
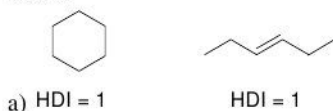
**15.34.** The compound must have one degree of unsaturation. The broad signal between  $3200\text{--}3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$  indicates an OH group, and the absence of signals between  $1600$  and  $1850\text{ cm}^{-1}$  indicates the absence of a double bond (either a C=O bond or an unsymmetrical C=C bond). This implies the presence of a ring (to achieve one degree of unsaturation). Below are possible structures:



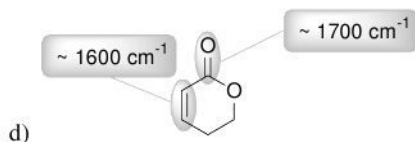
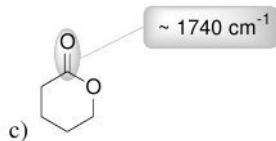
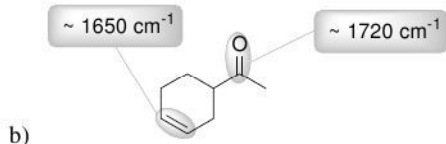
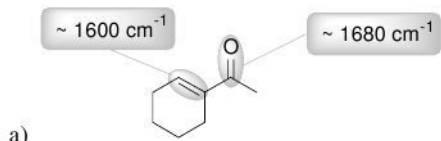
**15.35.** A signal at  $2200\text{ cm}^{-1}$  signifies the presence of a C≡C bond. There are only two possible constitutional isomers: 1-butyne or 2-butyne. The latter is symmetrical and would not produce a signal at  $2200\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The compound must be 1-butyne.

**15.36.** The compound has exactly one degree of unsaturation, which means that it must contain either one ring or one double bond.

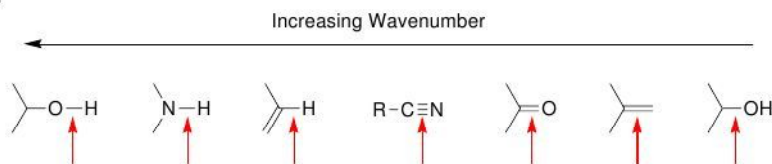
**15.37.**



15.38.



15.39.



15.40.

a) The C=N bond and the C=O bond should each produce a signal in the double bond region,  $1600 - 1850 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

b) The C=C bond should produce a signal in the double bond region,  $1600 - 1850 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

- c) The C=C bond and the C=O bond should each produce a signal in the double bond region,  $1600 - 1850 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ . In addition, the two C≡C bonds should produce two signals around  $2200 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , and the  $C_{sp}\text{-H}$  bond should produce a signal around  $3300 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .
- d) The C=O bond should produce a signal in the double bond region,  $1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , and the O-H of the carboxylic acid moiety should produce a very broad signal from  $2200 - 3600 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .

**15.41.**

- a) The reactant should have signals at  $1650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $3100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while the product should not have either signals.
- b) The reactant should have a broad signal from  $3200 - 3600 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while the product should lack this signal and instead should have a signal at  $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .
- c) The C=O bond of an ester should appear at higher wavenumber ( $\sim 1740 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ) than the C=O bond of a ketone ( $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ ).
- d) The reactant should have signals at  $1650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $3100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while the products should both have a signal at  $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .
- e) The reactant should not have signals at  $1650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  or  $3100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while the product should have such signals.

**15.42.**

- a) a C=O signal at  $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- b) a C=O signal at  $\sim 1680 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  (conjugated) and a C=C signal at  $\sim 1600 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  (conjugated) and a  $C_{sp^2}\text{-H}$  signal at  $3100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .
- c) a C=O signal at  $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and a C=C signal at  $\sim 1650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and a  $C_{sp^2}\text{-H}$  signal at  $3100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .
- d) a C=C signal at  $\sim 1650 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and an O-H signal at  $\sim 3200 - 3600 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and a  $C_{sp^2}\text{-H}$  signal at  $3100 \text{ cm}^{-1}$ .
- e) a C=O signal at  $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and an O-H signal at  $\sim 2200 - 3600 \text{ cm}^{-1}$
- f) a C=O signal at  $\sim 1720 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  and an O-H signal at  $\sim 3200 - 3600 \text{ cm}^{-1}$

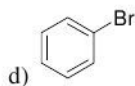
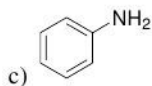
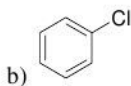
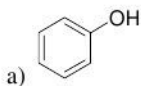
**15.43.**

- a)  $C_7H_8$  ( $m/z = 92$ )                      b)  $C_6H_6O$  ( $m/z = 94$ )                      c)  $C_6H_{10}O$  ( $m/z = 98$ )
- d)  $C_6H_8O$  ( $m/z = 96$ )                      e)  $C_6H_{15}N$  ( $m/z = 101$ )

**15.44.**  $C_5H_{10}O$

**15.45.** There are nine carbon atoms in the compound (10 / 1.1).

**15.46.**



**15.47.**

a) an OH group and double bonds.

$$\text{b) } \frac{3.9\%}{27.2\%} \times 100\% = 14.3\%$$

$$\# \text{ of C} = \frac{14.3\%}{1.1\%} = 13$$

c)  $\text{C}_{13}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}$  has thirteen carbon atoms and two degrees of unsaturation, consistent with the information that there are two double bonds.

**15.48.**

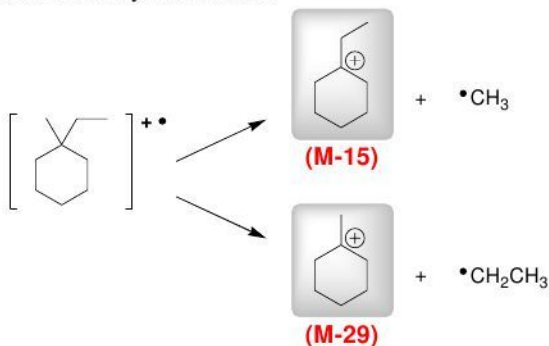
a) Both compounds are  $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}$

b) Both compounds have an HDI of 1.

c) No, both compounds have exactly six carbon atoms and twelve hydrogen atoms, so they should have the same  $m/z$  even with high resolution mass spectrometry.

d) The IR spectrum of the alkene would have a signal at  $\sim 1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$  for the  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  bond and another signal at  $\sim 3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$  for the vinylic  $\text{C}-\text{H}$  bond. The IR spectrum of cyclohexane lacks both of these signals.

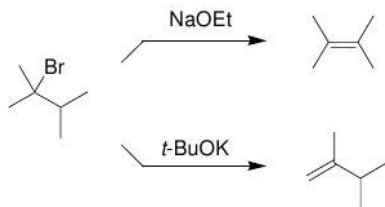
**15.49.** The signal at  $m/z = 111$  is (M-15) which corresponds with loss of a methyl group. The signal at  $m/z = 97$  is (M-29) which corresponds with loss of an ethyl group. Both fragmentations lead to a tertiary carbocation:



**15.50.**

- a) No, because this fragment does not contain the bromine atom.  
 b) Yes, because this fragment still contains the bromine atom.  
 c) Yes, because this fragment still contains the bromine atom.

**15.51.** The more substituted alkene will not produce a signal at  $1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$  nor will it produce a signal at  $3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The less substituted alkene will display both signals in its IR spectrum:

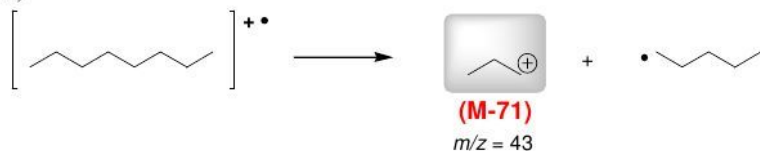
**15.52.**

- a)  $\text{C}_5\text{H}_6$   
 b)  $\text{C}_4\text{H}_6\text{O}$

**15.53.**

- a) the molecular ion peak appears at  $m/z = 114$   
 b) the base peak appears at  $m/z = 43$

c)

**15.54.**

- |      |      |      |       |      |
|------|------|------|-------|------|
| a) 2 | b) 2 | c) 2 | d) 36 | e) 4 |
| f) 4 | g) 5 | h) 1 | i) 4  | j) 1 |

**15.55**

**15.56.** Limonene has three degrees of unsaturation and is comprised of only carbon and hydrogen atoms. The molecular weight is 136, so the molecular formula of limonene must be  $C_{10}H_{16}$ .

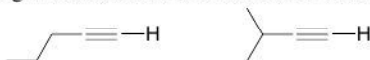
**15.57.** The IR spectrum of *trans*-3-hexene is expected to have a signal at  $3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$  as a result of the vinylic C-H stretch. In contrast, 2,3-dimethyl-2-butene lacks a vinylic C-H group and does not exhibit that signal.

**15.58.** The compound exhibits intramolecular hydrogen bonding even in dilute solutions.

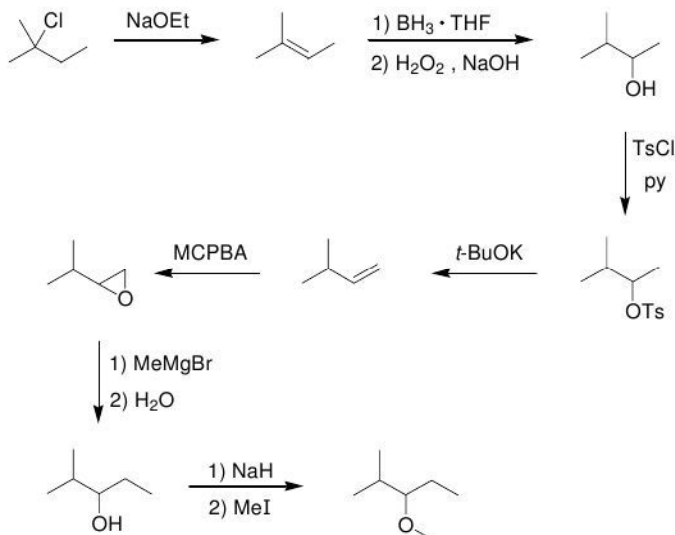
**15.59.** The IR spectrum indicates that the compound is a ketone. The mass spectrum indicates a molecular weight of 86. The base peak is at  $M-43$ , indicating the loss of a propyl group. The compound likely has a three carbon chain (either a propyl group or isopropyl group) on one side of the ketone:



**15.60.** The IR spectrum indicates the presence of a triple bond as well as a C-H bond indicating that the triple bond is terminal. The mass spectrum indicates a molecular weight of 68. The following two structures are consistent with these data:



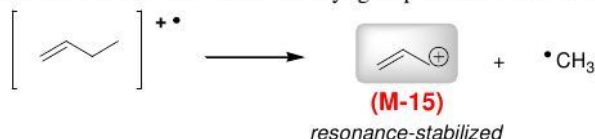
**15.61.**



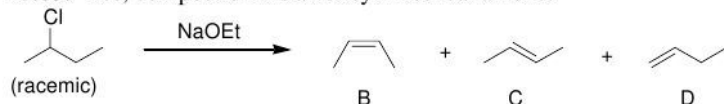


- a) Compound F is an alcohol and its IR spectrum will exhibit a broad signal between  $3200$  and  $3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . Compound G is an ether and its IR spectrum will not exhibit the same signal.
- b) Compound D is an alkene and its IR spectrum will exhibit a signal at approximately  $1650\text{ cm}^{-1}$  (for the  $\text{C}=\text{C}$  bond), as well as a signal at  $3100\text{ cm}^{-1}$  (for vinylic  $\text{C-H}$  stretching). Compound E is an epoxide and its IR spectrum will not have these two signals.
- c) IR spectroscopy would not be helpful to distinguish these two compounds because they are both alcohols. Mass spectrometry could be used to differentiate these two compounds because they have different molecular weights.
- d) No, they both have the same molecular formula, although a trained expert might be able to distinguish these compounds based on their fragmentation patterns.

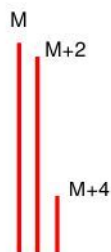
**15.62.** 1-butene can lose a methyl group to form a resonance stabilized carbocation



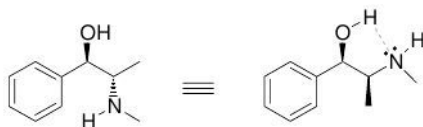
**15.63.** Yes, compound D is an unsymmetrical alkene:



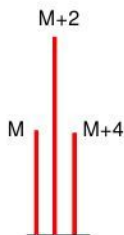
**15.64.**



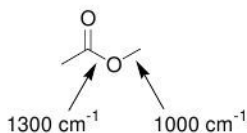
**15.65.** The OH group in ephedrine can engage in intramolecular hydrogen bonding, even in dilute solutions.



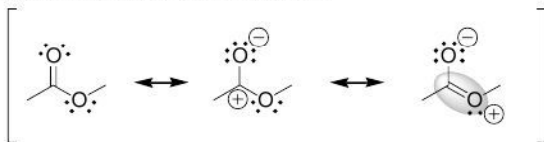
15.66.



15.67.



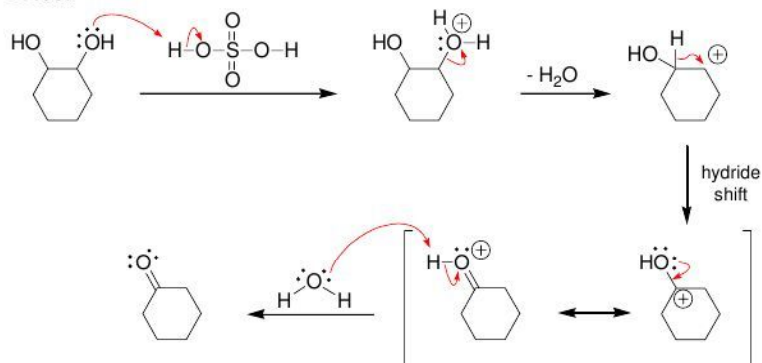
Explanation #1) One of the C-O bonds of the ester has some double bond character, as can be seen in the third resonance structure below:



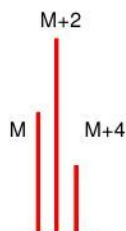
This C-O bond is a stronger bond than the other C-O single bond, which does not have any double bond character. As a result, the stronger C-O bond (highlighted above) appears at higher wavenumber.

Explanation #2) The C-O bond at  $1300\text{ cm}^{-1}$  involves an  $sp^2$  hybridized carbon atom, rather than an  $sp^3$  hybridized carbon atom. The former has more  $s$ -character and holds its electrons closer to the positively charged nucleus. A  $C_{sp^2}-O$  bond is therefore stronger than a  $C_{sp^3}-O$  bond.

15.68.



15.69.



# Chapter 16

## Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 16. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- A spinning proton generates a **magnetic** \_\_\_\_\_, which must align either with or against an imposed external magnetic field.
- All protons do not absorb the same frequency because of \_\_\_\_\_, a weak magnetic effect due to the motion of surrounding electrons that either **shield** or **deshield** the proton.
- \_\_\_\_\_ solvents are generally used for acquiring NMR spectra.
- In a  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, each signal has three important characteristics: location, area and shape.
- When two protons are interchangeable by rotational symmetry, the protons are said to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- When two protons are interchangeable by rotational symmetry, the protons are said to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- The left side of an NMR spectrum is described as \_\_\_\_\_ **field**, and the right side is described as \_\_\_\_\_ **field**.
- In the absence of inductive effects, a methyl group ( $\text{CH}_3$ ) will produce a signal near \_\_\_\_\_ ppm, a **methylene group** ( $\text{CH}_2$ ) will produce a signal near \_\_\_\_\_, and a \_\_\_\_\_ **group** ( $\text{CH}$ ) will produce a signal near \_\_\_\_\_. The presence of nearby groups increases these values somewhat predictably.
- The \_\_\_\_\_, or area under each signal, indicates the number of protons giving rise to the signal.
- \_\_\_\_\_ represents the number of peaks in a signal. A \_\_\_\_\_ has one peak, a \_\_\_\_\_ has two, a \_\_\_\_\_ has three, a \_\_\_\_\_ has four, and a \_\_\_\_\_ has five.
- Multiplicity is the result of **spin-spin splitting**, also called \_\_\_\_\_, which follows the  **$n+1$  rule**.
- When signal splitting occurs, the distance between the individual peaks of a signal is called the **coupling constant**, or \_\_\_\_\_ **value**, and is measured in Hz.
- Complex splitting occurs when a proton has two different kinds of neighbors, often producing a \_\_\_\_\_.
- $^{13}\text{C}$  is an \_\_\_\_\_ of carbon, representing \_\_\_\_\_ % of all carbon atoms.
- All  $^{13}\text{C}$ - $^1\text{H}$  splitting is suppressed with a technique called **broadband** \_\_\_\_\_, causing all of the  $^{13}\text{C}$  signals to collapse to \_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 16. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 16.1 Determining the Relationship between Two Protons in a Compound

FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUNDS, IDENTIFY THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE TWO INDICATED PROTONS (ARE THEY HOMOTOPIC, ENANTIOTOPIC OR DIASTEREOTOPIC?) AND DETERMINE WHETHER THEY ARE CHEMICALLY EQUIVALENT.

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### 16.2 Identifying the Number of Expected Signals in a $^1\text{H}$ NMR Spectrum

FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUNDS, DETERMINE WHETHER THE TWO INDICATED PROTONS ARE CHEMICALLY EQUIVALENT.

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### 16.3 Predicting Chemical Shifts

FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUNDS, PREDICT THE EXPECTED CHEMICAL SHIFT OF THE INDICATED PROTONS.

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### 16.4 Determining the Number of Protons Giving Rise to a Signal

**STEP 1** - COMPARE THE RELATIVE VALUES, AND CHOOSE THE LOWEST NUMBER

**STEP 2** - DIVIDE ALL INTEGRATION VALUES BY THE NUMBER FROM STEP #1, WHICH GIVES THE RATIO OF

**STEP 3** - IDENTIFY THE NUMBER OF PROTONS IN THE COMPOUND (FROM THE MOLECULAR FORMULA) AND THEN ADJUST THE RELATIVE INTEGRATION VALUES SO THAT THE SUM TOTAL EQUALS THE NUMBER OF

### 16.5 Predicting the Multiplicity of a Signal

IDENTIFY THE EXPECTED MULTIPLICITY FOR EACH SIGNAL IN THE PROTON NMR SPECTRUM OF THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND.

16.6 Drawing the Expected  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum of a Compound

<b>STEP 1 -</b> IDENTIFY THE NUMBER OF _____	<b>STEP 2 - PREDICT</b> THE _____ OF EACH SIGNAL	<b>STEP 3 - DETERMINE THE</b> _____ OF EACH SIGNAL BY COUNTING THE NUMBER OF _____ GIVING RISE TO EACH SIGNAL	<b>STEP 4 - PREDICT THE</b> _____ OF EACH SIGNAL	<b>STEP 5 - DRAW</b> EACH SIGNAL
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16.7 Using  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectroscopy to Distinguish Between Compounds

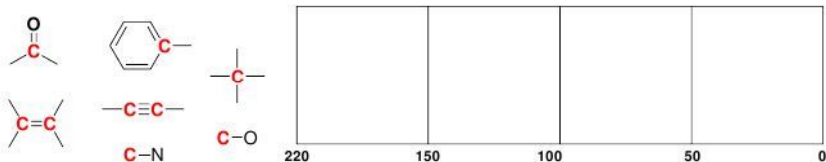
<b>STEP 1 -</b> IDENTIFY THE NUMBER OF _____ THAT EACH COMPOUND WILL PRODUCE.	<b>STEP 2 -</b> IF EACH COMPOUND IS EXPECTED TO PRODUCE THE SAME NUMBER OF SIGNALS, THEN DETERMINE THE _____ AND _____ OF EACH SIGNAL IN BOTH COMPOUNDS	<b>STEP 3 -</b> LOOK FOR DIFFERENCES IN THE CHEMICAL SHIFTS, MULTIPLICITIES OR INTEGRATION VALUES OF THE EXPECTED SIGNALS
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16.8 Analyzing a  $^1\text{H}$  NMR Spectrum and Proposing the Structure of a Compound

<b>STEP 1 -</b> USE THE _____ TO DETERMINE THE HDI. AN HDI OF _____ INDICATES THE POSSIBILITY OF AN AROMATIC RING	<b>STEP 2 -</b> CONSIDER THE NUMBER OF SIGNALS AND INTEGRATION OF EACH SIGNAL (GIVES CLUES ABOUT THE _____ OF THE COMPOUND)	<b>STEP 3 -</b> ANALYZE EACH SIGNAL (_____, _____, AND _____), AND THEN DRAW FRAGMENTS CONSISTENT WITH EACH SIGNAL. THESE FRAGMENTS BECOME OUR PUZZLE PIECES THAT MUST BE ASSEMBLED TO PRODUCE A MOLECULAR STRUCTURE	<b>STEP 4 -</b> ASSEMBLE THE FRAGMENTS
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16.9 Predicting the Number of Signals and Approximate Location of Each Signal in a  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR Spectrum

BELOW ARE SEVEN DIFFERENT TYPES OF CARBON ATOMS. EACH OF THEM IS EXPECTED TO PRODUCE A SIGNAL IN ONE OF FOUR POSSIBLE REGIONS IN A CARBON NMR SPECTRUM. IDENTIFY THE EXPECTED REGION FOR EACH TYPE OF CARBON ATOM.

16.10 Determining Molecular Structure using DEPT  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR Spectroscopy

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING CHART BY DRAWING THE EXPECTED SHAPE OF EACH SIGNAL:

	$\text{CH}_3$	$\text{CH}_2$	$\text{CH}$	$\text{C}$
BROADBAND DECOUPLED				
DEPT-90				
DEPT-135				

**Solutions****16.1.**

- a) homotopic
- b) enantiotopic
- c) diastereotopic
- d) enantiotopic
- e) homotopic

**16.2.**

- a) All four protons can be interchanged either via rotation or reflection.
- b) The three protons of a methyl group are always equivalent, and in this case, the two methyl groups are equivalent to each other because they can be interchanged by rotation. Therefore, all six protons are equivalent.
- c) Three
- d) Three
- e) Six

**16.3.****16.4.**

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|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| a) 8 | b) 4 | c) 2 | d) 3 | e) 5 | f) 3 |
| g) 4 | h) 2 | i) 4 | j) 7 | k) 4 | l) 7 |

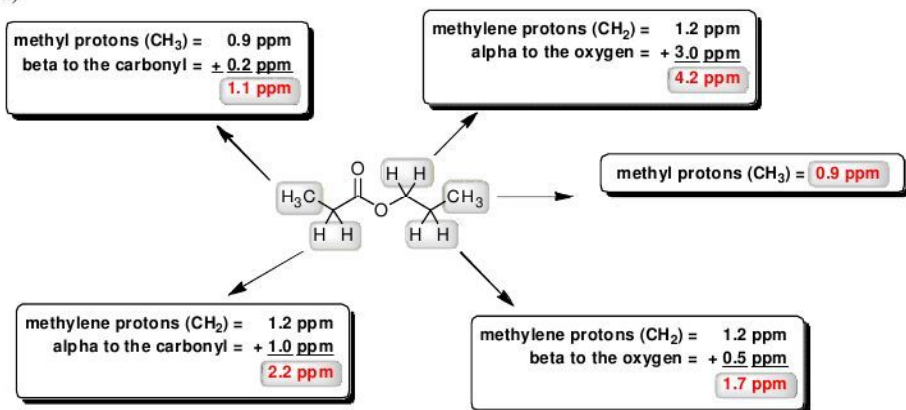
**16.5.** The presence of the bromine atom does not render C3 a chirality center because there are two ethyl groups connected to C3. Nevertheless, the presence of the bromine atom does prevent the two protons at C2 from being interchangeable by reflection. The replacement test gives a pair of diastereomers, so the protons are diastereotopic.

**16.6.** This compound will exhibit two signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum:

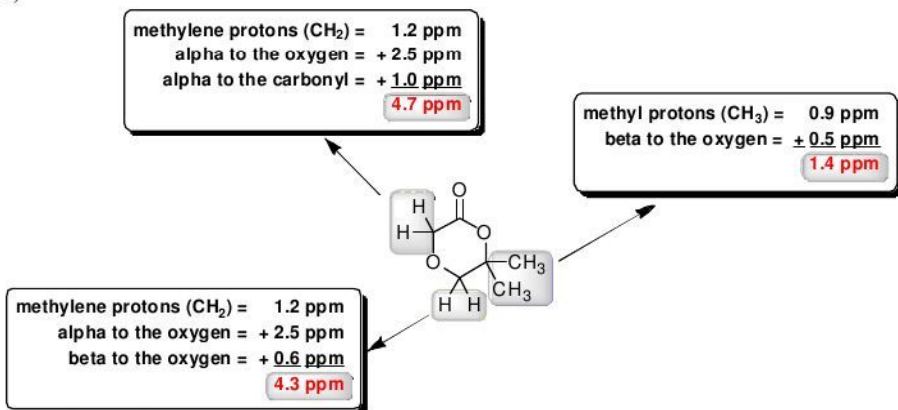


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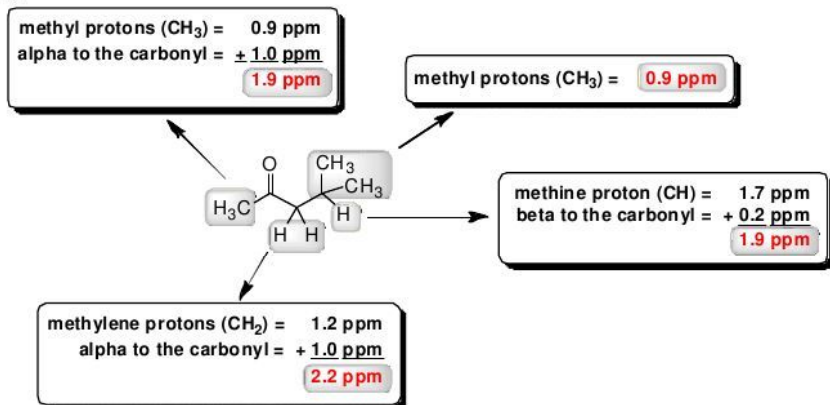


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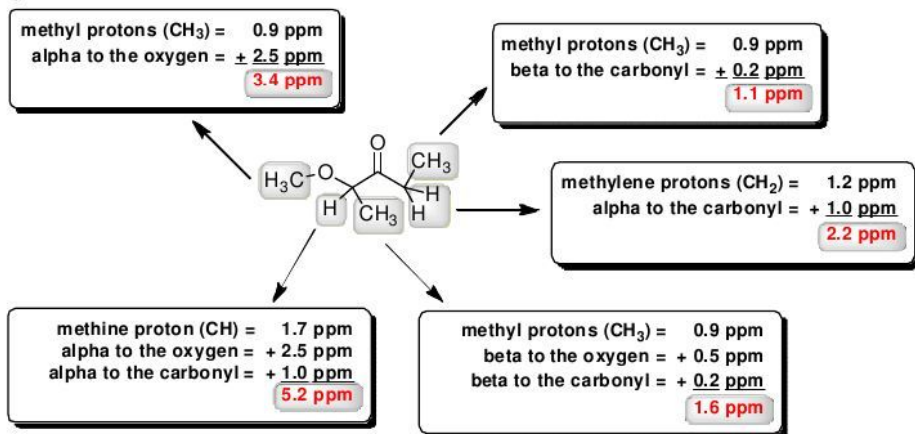




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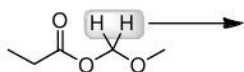


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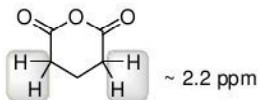
e) All four methylene groups are equivalent, so the compound will have only one signal in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum. That signal is expected to appear at approximately  $(1.2 + 2.5 + 0.5) = 4.2$  ppm.

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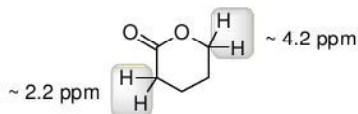


methylene protons ( $\text{CH}_2$ ) = 1.2 ppm  
 alpha to the oxygen = + 3.0 ppm  
 alpha to the oxygen = + 2.5 ppm  
 6.7 ppm

16.9.



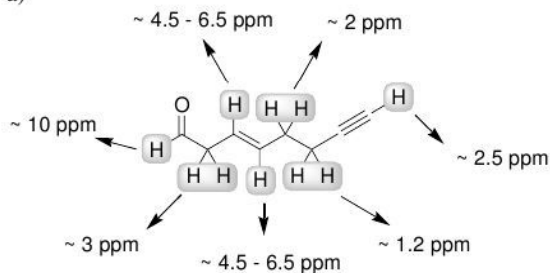
Only one signal downfield of 2.0 ppm  
(the four highlighted protons are equivalent)



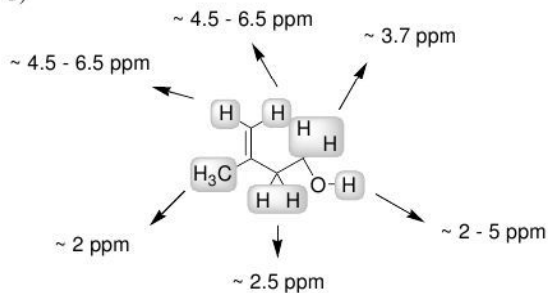
Two signals downfield of 2.0 ppm

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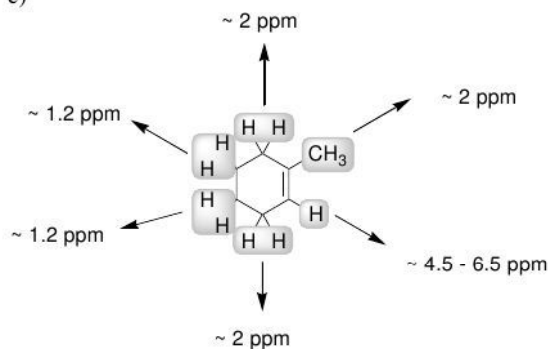
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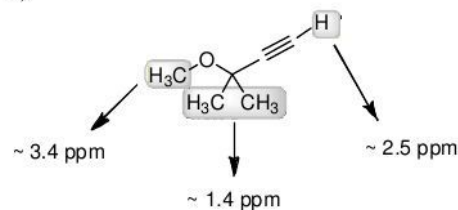
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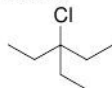
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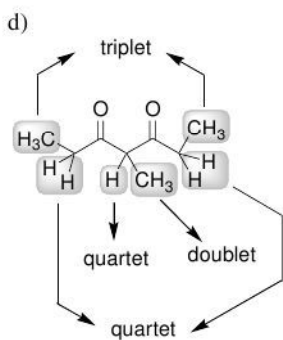
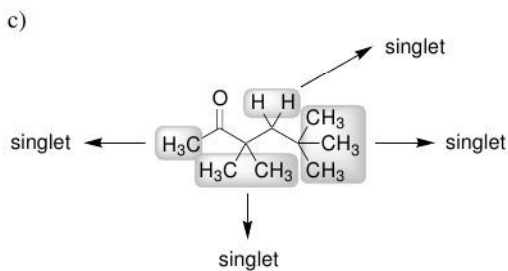
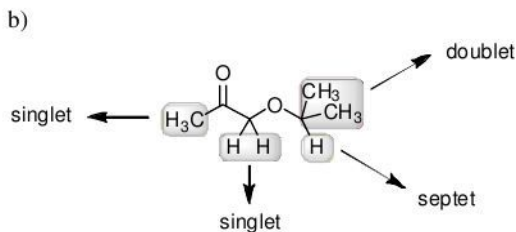
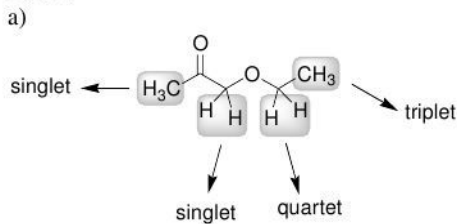
The signal at 4.0 ppm represents two protons.  
 The signal at 2.0 ppm represents three protons.  
 The signal at 1.6 ppm represents two protons.  
 The signal at 0.9 ppm represents three protons.

**16.12.**

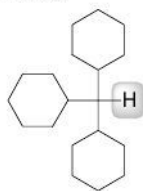
The signal at 9.6 ppm represents one proton.  
 The signal at 7.5 ppm represents five protons.  
 The signal at 7.3 ppm represents one proton.  
 The signal at 2.1 ppm represents three protons.

**16.13.** Each signal represents two protons.

**16.14.**

**16.15.**

## 16.16.

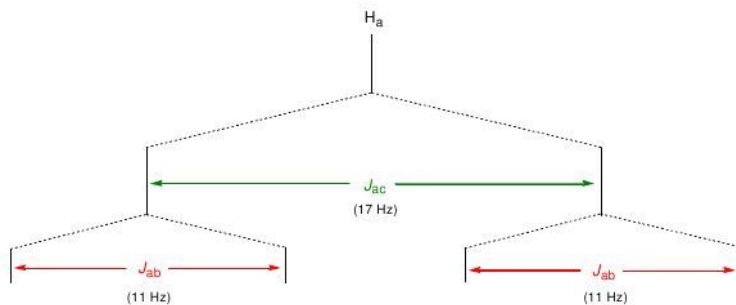


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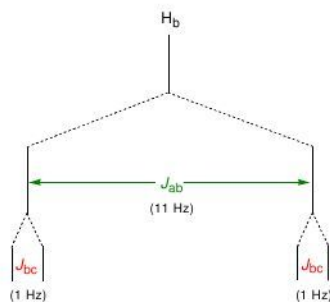
- The spectrum exhibits the characteristic pattern of an isopropyl group.
- The spectrum exhibits the characteristic pattern of an isopropyl group as well as the characteristic pattern of an ethyl group.
- The spectrum exhibits the characteristic pattern of a *tert*-butyl group.
- The spectrum does not exhibit the characteristic pattern of an ethyl group, an isopropyl group, or a *tert*-butyl group.

## 16.18.

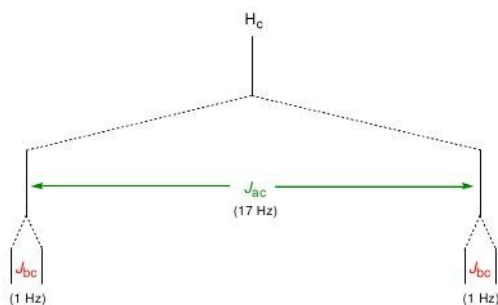
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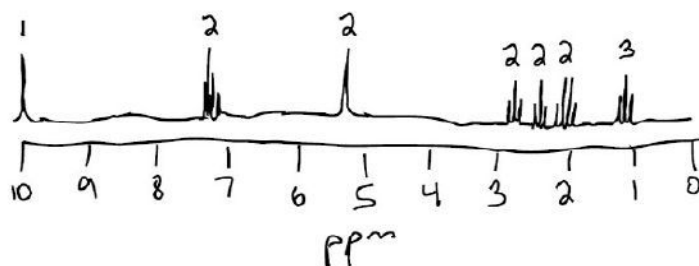
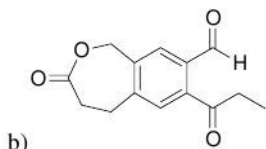
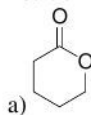
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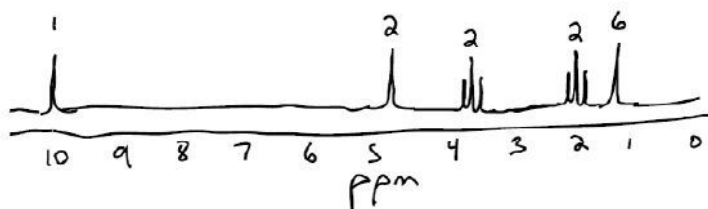
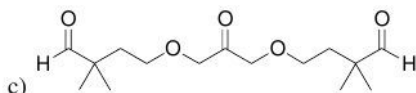


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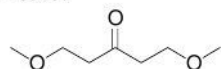


16.19. Draw the expected  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum for each of the following compounds





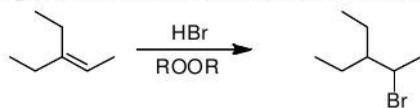
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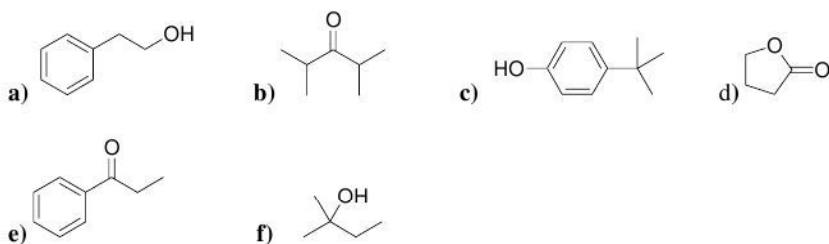
16.21.

- a) The first compound will have only three signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have six signals.
- b) Both compounds will exhibit  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra with only two singlets. In each spectrum, the relative integration of the two singlets is 1:3. In the first compound, the singlet with the smaller integration value will be at approximately 2 ppm. In the second compound, the singlet with the smaller integration value will be at approximately 4 ppm.
- d) The first compound will have only two signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have three signals.
- e) The first compound will have five signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have only three signals.
- f) The first compound will have only four signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have five signals.
- g) The first compound will have only one signal in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have two signals.

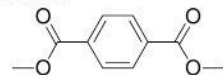
16.22. The presence of peroxides caused an *anti*-Markovnikov addition of HBr:



## 16.23.



## 16.24.



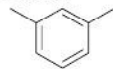
## 16.25.

- a) Four signals. Three appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm, and the fourth signal (the C=O) appears in the region 150 – 220 ppm.
- b) Five signals. All five appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm.
- c) Six signals. Two appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm, and four signals appear in the region 100–150 ppm.
- d) Nine signals. Two appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm, one appears in the region 50 – 100 ppm and six signals appear in the region 100 – 150 ppm.
- e) Seven signals. Two appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm, one appears in the region 50 – 100 ppm and four signals appear in the region 100 – 150 ppm.
- f) Five signals. Three appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm and two signals appear in the region 100 – 150 ppm.
- g) Seven signals. Five appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm and two signals appear in the region 100 – 150 ppm.
- h) Two signals. One appears in the region 0 – 50 ppm and the other appears in the region 100 – 150 ppm.
- i) One signal appears in the region 50 – 100.
- j) Five signals. One appears in the region 0 – 50 ppm, one appears in the region 50 – 100 ppm, two appear in the region 100–150, and one signal appears in the region 150 – 200 ppm.

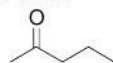


**16.26.** The first compound lacks a chirality center. The two methyl groups are enantiotopic and are therefore chemically equivalent. The second compound has a chirality center (the position bearing the OH group). As such, the two methyl groups are diastereotopic and are therefore not chemically equivalent. For this reason, the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of the second compound exhibits six signals, rather than five.

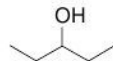
**16.27.**



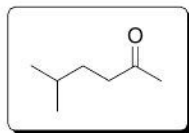
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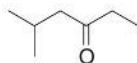
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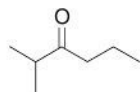
**16.30.**



Consistent with  
 $^1\text{H}$  NMR and  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectra

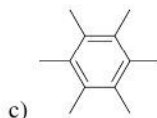
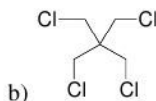


Consistent only with  
 $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum



Consistent only with  
 $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum

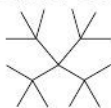
**16.31.**



**16.32.**



**16.33.** This compound will exhibit three signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum:



**16.34.**

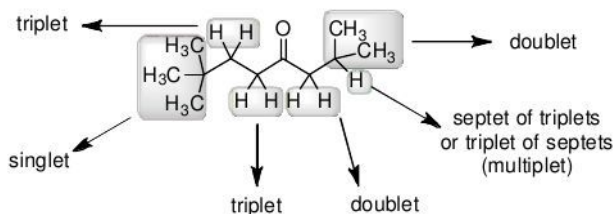
- a) 2      b) 4      c) 4      d) 2      e) 2      f) 5

**16.35.**

- a) 4      b) 6      c) 6      d) 4      e) 2      f) 4

**16.36.** The first compound will have five signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have seven signals.

**16.37.**



**16.38.**

a) The first compound will have four signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have twelve signals.

The first compound will have two signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have eight signals.

b) The first compound is a meso compound. Two of the protons are enantiotopic (the protons that are alpha to the chlorine atoms) and are therefore chemically equivalent. The first compound will only have two signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have three signals. For a similar reason, first compound will only have two signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have three signals.

c) The  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of the second compound will have one more signal than the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of the other first compound. The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra will differ in the following way: the first compound will have a singlet somewhere between 2 and 5 ppm with an integration of 1, while the second compound will have a singlet at approximately 3.4 ppm with an integration of 3.

d) The first compound will have three signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have five signals.

The first compound will have two signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound will have four signals.

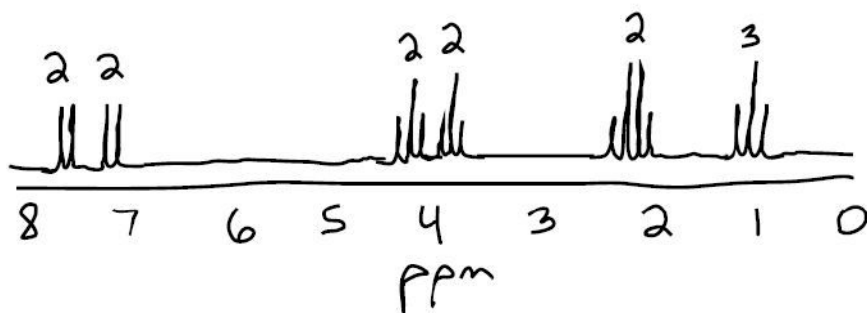
16.39. This compound will exhibit two signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum:



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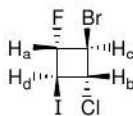
- a) homotopic      b) enantiotopic      c) enantiotopic      d) homotopic  
 e) diastereotopic      f) homotopic      g) diastereotopic      h) diastereotopic  
 i) homotopic      j) homotopic      k) homotopic      l) diastereotopic  
 m) enantiotopic      n) diastereotopic      o) homotopic

16.41.



16.42.

- a) Four signals are expected in the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of this compound.



Increasing chemical shift  
 ←

- b)  $H_a > H_b > H_c > H_d$   
 c) Four signals are expected in the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of this compound.  
 d) The carbon atoms follow the same trend exhibited by the protons.

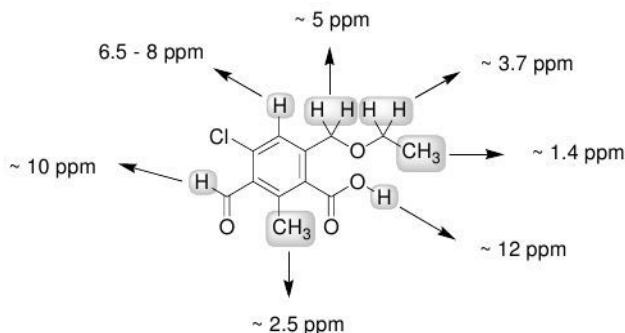
16.43.



16.44.

- a) Nine    b) Eight    c) Six

16.45.



16.46.

- a) Six signals, all of which appear in the region 100 – 150 ppm.  
 b) Seven signals. One appears in the region 150 – 220 ppm, and the remaining six signals appear in the region 0 – 50 ppm.  
 c) Four signals. One appears in the region 0 – 50 ppm, two appear in the region 50 – 100 ppm, and one signal appears in the region 150 – 200 ppm.

16.47. The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the Markovnikov product should have only four signals, while the anti-Markovnikov product should have many more signals in its  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum.

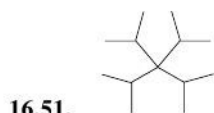
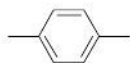
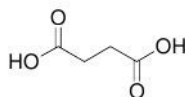
16.48.

- a) 2    b) 8    c) 4    d) 2    e) 3    f) 6    g) 2    h) 3

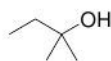
**16.49.**Increasing chemical shift in  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectroscopy**16.50.**

$$\delta = \frac{(\text{observed shift from TMS in hertz}) \times 10^6}{(\text{operating frequency of the instrument in hertz})}$$

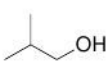
$$(\text{Observed shift from TMS in hertz}) = (\delta)(\text{operating frequency}) / 10^6$$

**16.51.****16.52.****16.53.****16.54.****16.55.**

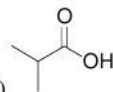
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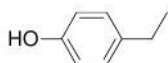
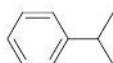
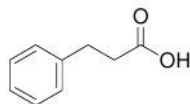
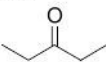
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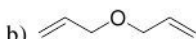
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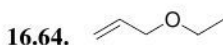
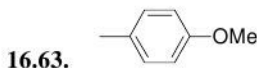
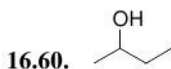
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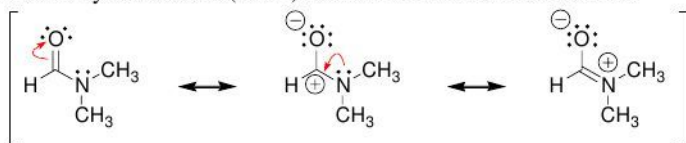
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16.65. N,N-dimethylformamide (DMF) has several resonance structures:



Consider the third resonance structure shown above, in which the C-N bond is a double bond. This indicates that this bond is expected to have some double bond character. As such, there is an energy barrier associated with rotation about this bond, such that rotation of this bond occurs at a rate that is slower than the timescale of the NMR spectrometer. At high temperature, more molecules will have the requisite energy to undergo free rotation about the C-N bond, so the process can occur on a time scale that is faster than the timescale of the NMR spectrometer. For this reason, the signals are expected to collapse into one signal at high temperature.

16.66. In a concentrated solution of phenol, the OH groups are engaged in extensive, intermolecular hydrogen-bonding interactions. These interactions cause the average distance to increase between the O and H of each OH group. This effectively deshields the protons of the hydroxyl groups. These protons therefore show up downfield. In a dilute solution, there are fewer hydrogen bonding interactions, and the effect described above is not observed.

16.67. The methyl group on the right side is located in the shielding region of the  $\pi$  bond, so the signal for this proton is moved upfield to 0.8 ppm.

16.68. Bromine is significantly larger than chlorine, and the electron density of a bromine atom partially surrounds any carbon atom attached directly to the bromine, thereby shielding it. In  $\text{CBr}_4$ , the carbon atom in the center of the compound is significantly shielded because it is positioned within the electron clouds of the four bromine atoms. In fact, it is so strongly shielded that it produces a signal even higher upfield than TMS.

## Chapter 17

# Conjugated Pi Systems and Pericyclic Reactions

### Review of Concepts

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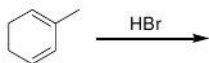
- Conjugated dienes experience free-rotation about the C2-C3 bond, giving rise to two important conformations: *s*-\_\_\_\_\_ and *s*-\_\_\_\_\_. The *s-trans* conformation is lower in energy.
- The HOMO and LUMO are referred to as \_\_\_\_\_ orbitals, and the reactivity of conjugated polyenes can be explained with **frontier orbital theory**.
- An \_\_\_\_\_ state is produced when a  $\pi$  electron in the HOMO absorbs a photon of light bearing the appropriate energy necessary to promote the electron to a higher energy orbital.
- Reactions induced by light are called \_\_\_\_\_ reactions.
- When butadiene is treated with HBr, two major products are observed, resulting from \_\_\_\_\_-addition and \_\_\_\_\_-addition.
- Conjugated dienes that undergo addition at low temperature are said to be under \_\_\_\_\_ control. Conjugated dienes that undergo addition at elevated temperature are said to be under \_\_\_\_\_ control.
- \_\_\_\_\_ reactions proceed via a concerted process with a cyclic transition state, and they are classified as **cycloaddition reactions**, \_\_\_\_\_ reactions, and **sigmatropic rearrangements**.
- The Diels–Alder reaction is a [ \_\_\_\_\_ ] **cycloaddition** in which two C–C bonds are formed simultaneously.
- High temperatures can often be used to achieve the reverse of a Diels–Alder reaction, called a \_\_\_\_\_ **Diels–Alder**.
- The starting materials for a Diels–Alder reaction are a diene, and a \_\_\_\_\_.
- The Diels–Alder reaction only occurs when the diene is in an \_\_\_\_\_ conformation.
- When cyclopentadiene is used as the starting diene, a bridged bicyclic compound is obtained, and the \_\_\_\_\_ cycloadduct is favored over the \_\_\_\_\_ cycloadduct.
- Conservation of orbital symmetry determines whether an electrocyclic reaction occurs in a \_\_\_\_\_ fashion or a \_\_\_\_\_ fashion.
- A [ \_\_\_\_\_ ] sigmatropic rearrangement is called a **Cope rearrangement** when all six atoms of the cyclic transition state are carbon atoms.
- Compounds that possess a conjugated  $\pi$  system will absorb UV or visible light to promote an electronic excitation called a \_\_\_\_\_ transition.
- The most important feature of the absorption spectrum is the \_\_\_\_\_, which indicates the wavelength of maximum absorption.
- When a compound exhibits a  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  above 400 nm, the compound will absorb \_\_\_\_\_ light, rather than UV light.

## Review of Skills

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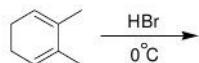
### 17.1 Proposing the Mechanism and Predicting the Products of Electrophilic Addition to Conjugated Dienes

IN THE SPACE PROVIDED, DRAW THE MECHANISM OF THE REACTION THAT IS EXPECTED TO OCCUR WHEN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND IS TREATED WITH HBr. MAKE SURE TO DRAW ALL POSSIBLE PRODUCTS.



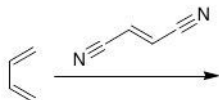
### 17.2 Predicting the Major Product of an Electrophilic Addition to Conjugated Dienes

DRAW THE MAJOR PRODUCTS OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION:



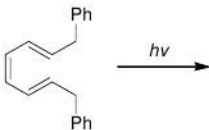
### 17.3 Predicting the Product of a Diels–Alder Reaction

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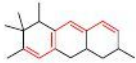
### 17.4 Predicting the Product of an Electrocyclic Reaction

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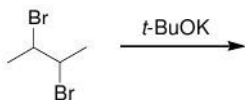
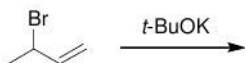
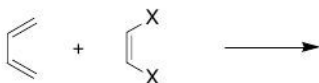
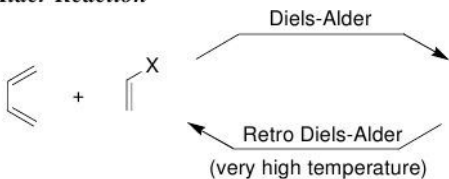


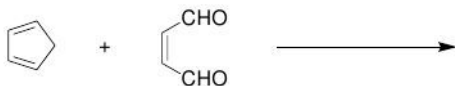
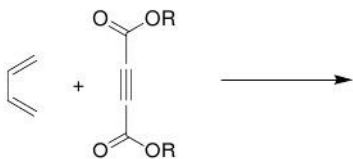
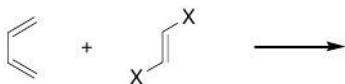
17.5 Using Woodward-Fieser Rules to Estimate  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$ 

USE WOODWARD-FIESER RULES TO ESTIMATE $\lambda_{\text{max}}$ FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND: 	BASE VALUE =	<input type="text"/>
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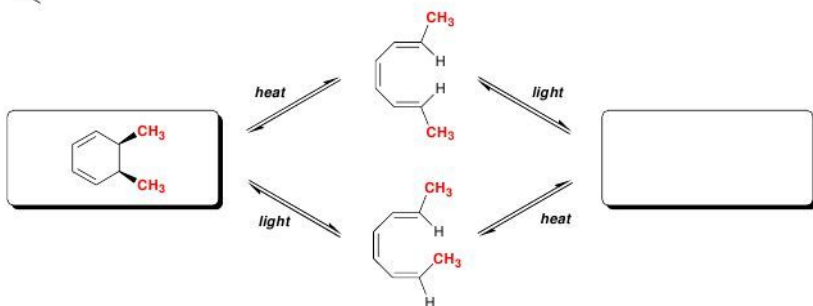
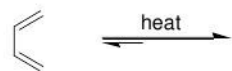
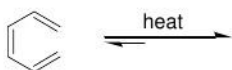
**Review of Reactions**

Predict the Products for each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 17. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

**Preparation of Dienes****Electrophilic Addition****Diels-Alder Reaction**

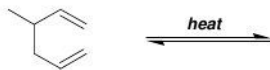


### Electrocyclic Reactions



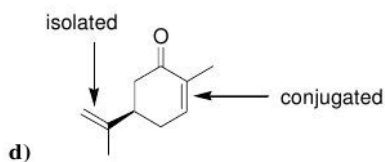
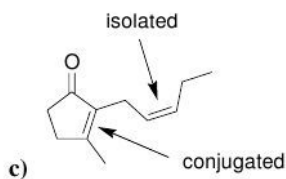
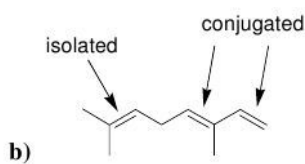
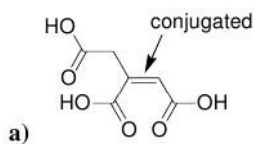
### Sigmatropic Rearrangements

#### Cope Rearrangement

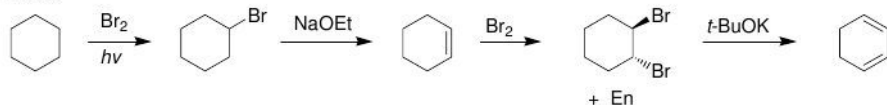


#### Claisen Rearrangement

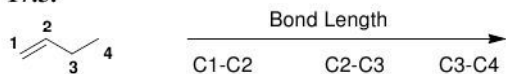


**Solutions****17.1.**

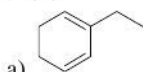
17.2.



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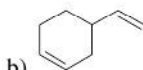


17.4.



a)

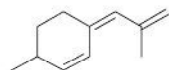
The conjugated diene will liberate the least heat because it is the most stable of the three compounds.



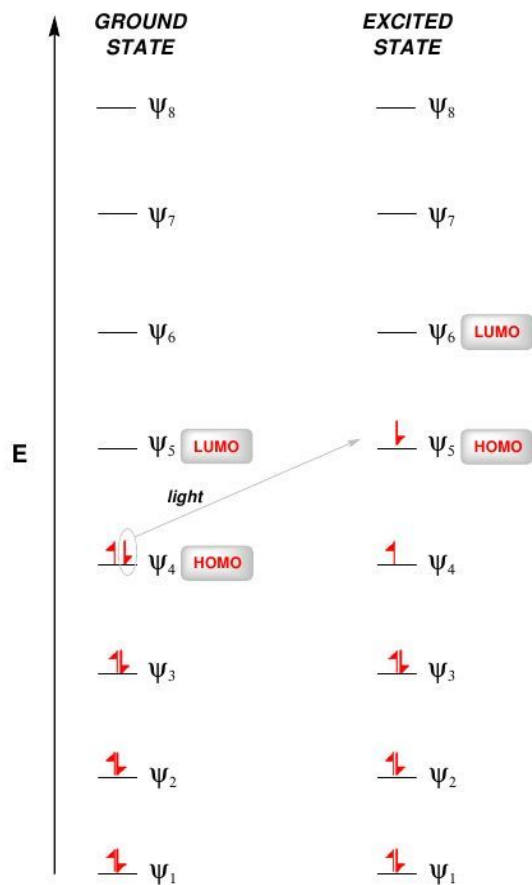
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This isolated diene will liberate more heat than the other isolated diene, because the  $\pi$  bonds in this compound are not highly substituted (one  $\pi$  bond is monosubstituted and the other is disubstituted). In the other isolated diene, the  $\pi$  bonds are disubstituted and trisubstituted (and therefore more stable).

17.5. In the compound below, all three  $\pi$  bonds are conjugated:

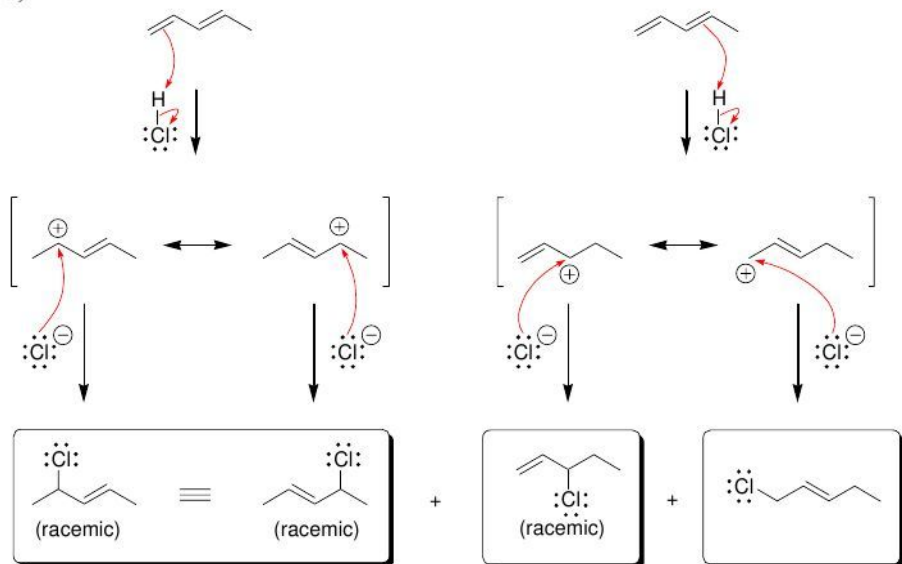


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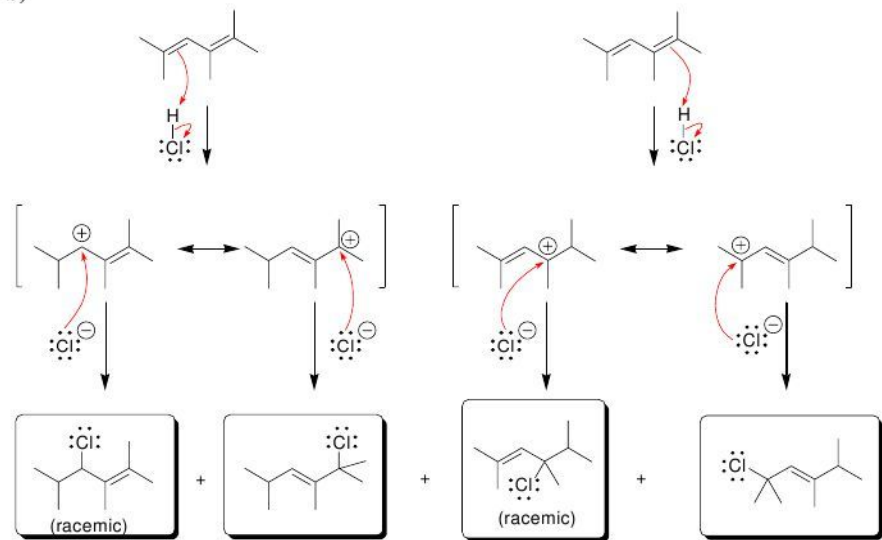


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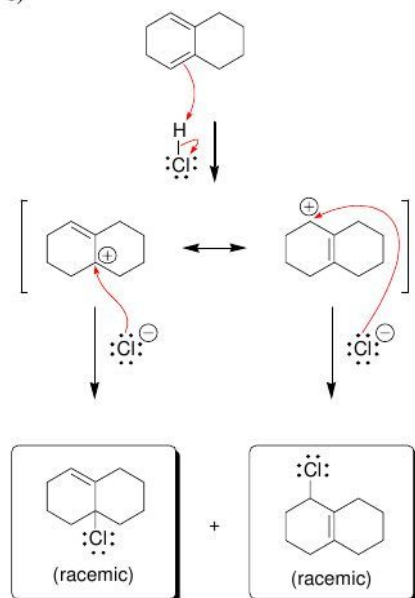
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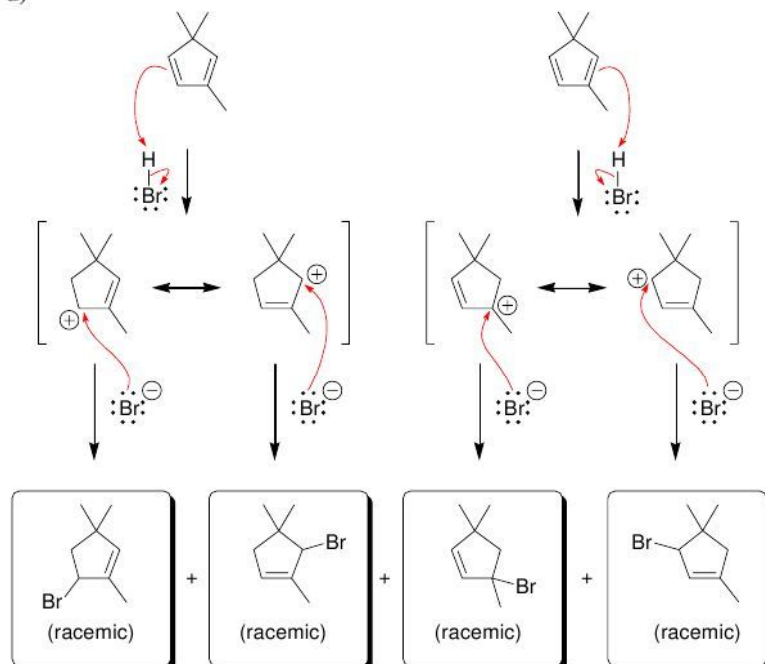
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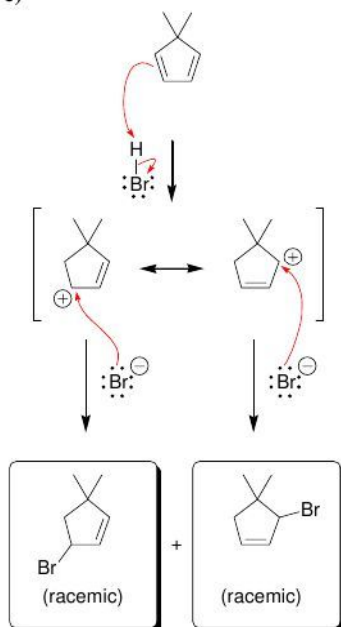
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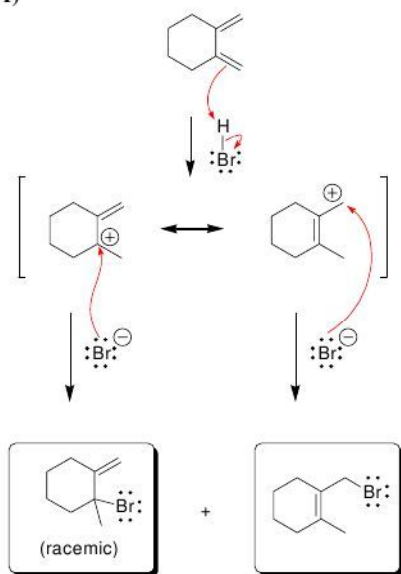
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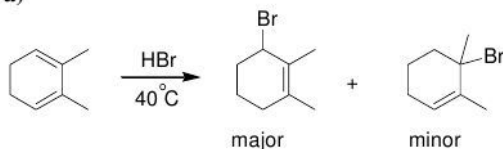
**17.8.** The first diene can be protonated either at C1 or at C4. Each of these pathways produces a resonance stabilized carbocation. And each of these carbocations can be attacked in two positions, giving rise to four possible products. In contrast, the second diene yields the same carbocation regardless of whether protonation occurs at C1 or at C4. This resonance-stabilized carbocation can be attacked in two positions, giving rise to two products.

**17.9.**

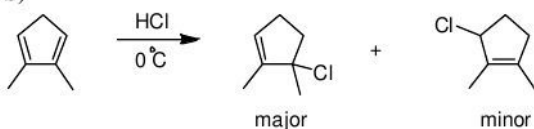


**17.10.**

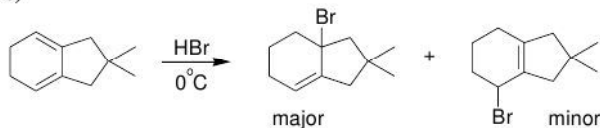
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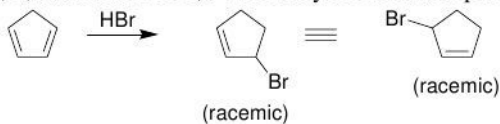


c)



**17.11.** In this case, the  $\pi$  bond in the 1,2-adduct is more substituted than the  $\pi$  bond in the 1,4-adduct (trisubstituted rather than disubstituted). As a result, the 1,2-adduct predominates at either low temperature or high temperature.

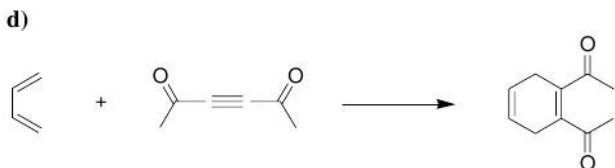
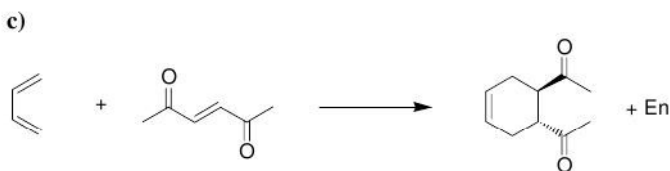
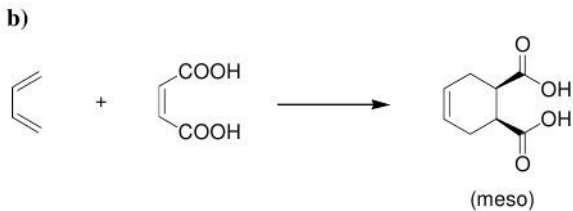
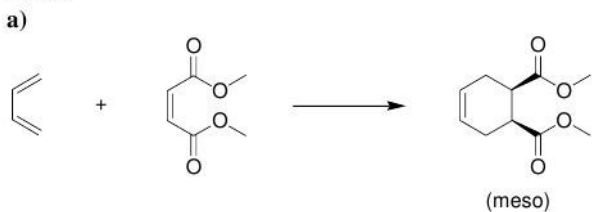
**17.12.** In this case, 1,2-addition and 1,4-addition yield the same product.



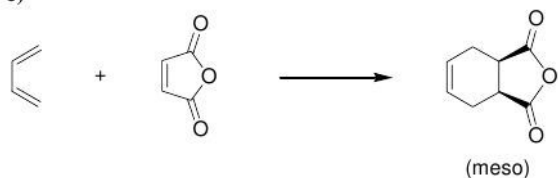
**17.13.**



**17.14.**



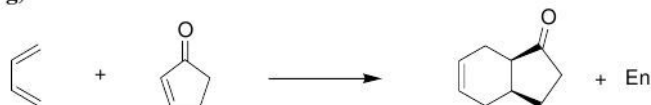
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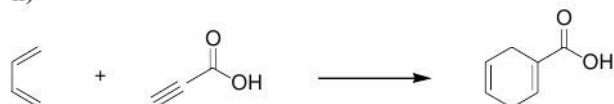
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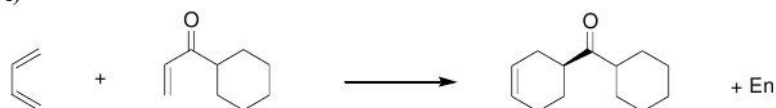
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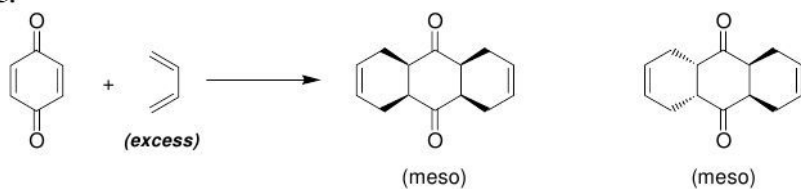
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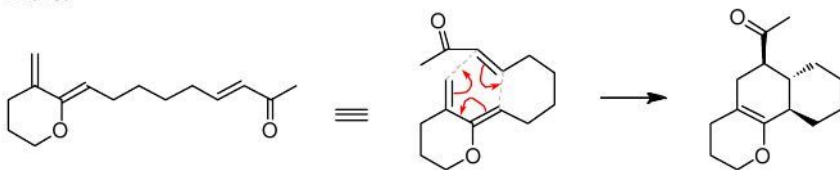
i)



17.15.



## 17.16.



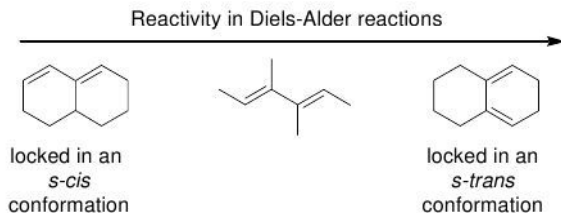
17.17. The  $2E,4E$  isomer is expected to react more rapidly as a diene in a Diels–Alder reaction, because it can readily adopt an  $s$ -*trans* conformation.



In contrast, the  $2Z,4Z$  isomer is expected to react more slowly as a diene in a Diels–Alder reaction, because it cannot readily adopt an  $s$ -*trans* conformation, as a result of steric hindrance.



## 17.18.

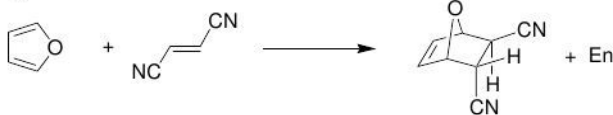


## 17.19.

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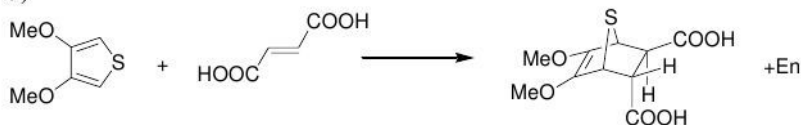
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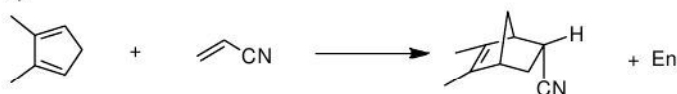
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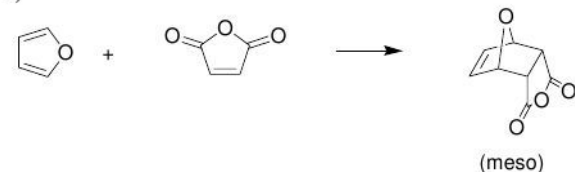
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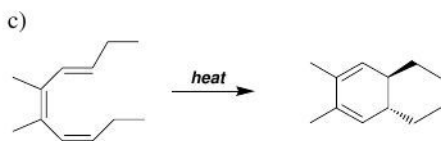
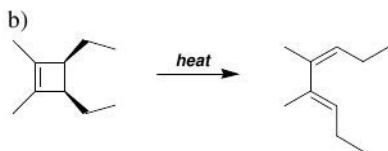
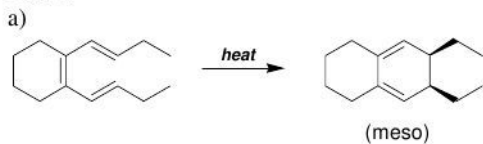


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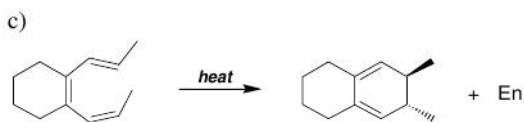
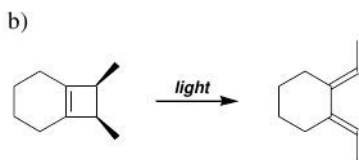
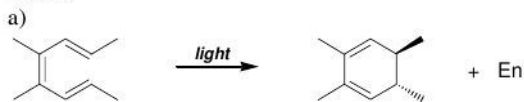


**17.20.** We first consider the HOMO of one molecule of butadiene and the LUMO of another molecule of butadiene. The phases of these MOs do not align, so a thermal reaction is symmetry-forbidden. However, if one molecule is photochemically excited, the HOMO and LUMO of that molecule are redefined. The phases of the frontier orbitals will align under these conditions, so the reaction is expected to occur photochemically.

17.21.

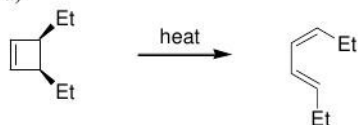


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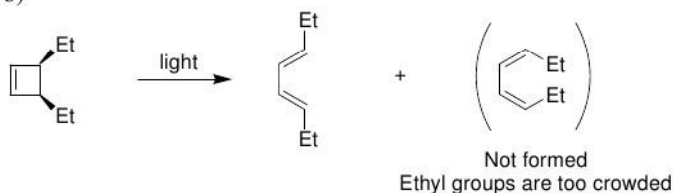


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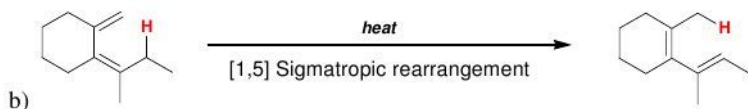
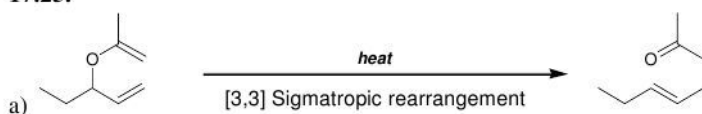
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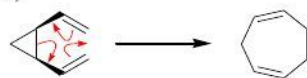
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**17.24.**

- a) a meso compound  
 b) a pair of enantiomers  
 c) a pair of enantiomers

**17.25.****17.26.**

a)

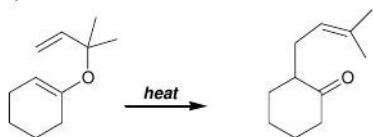


b) [3,3] Sigmatropic rearrangement

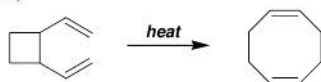
c) The ring strain associated with the three-membered ring is alleviated. The reverse process would involve forming a high-energy, three-membered ring. The equilibrium disfavors the reverse process.

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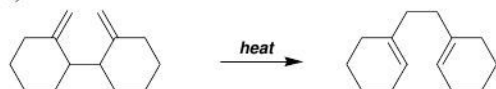
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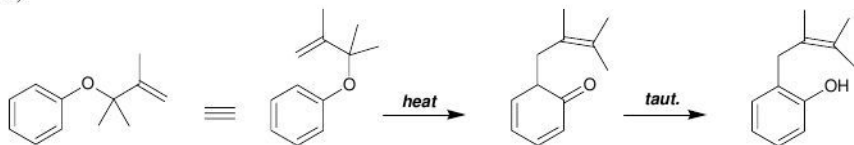
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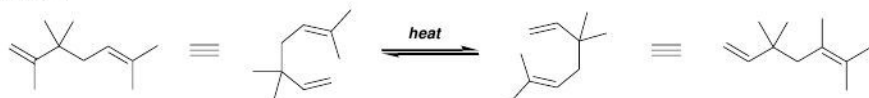
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d)



## 17.28.



## 17.29.

a)

Base	=	217
Additional double bonds	=	0
Auxochromic alkyl groups	=	+25
Exocyclic double bond	=	+5
Homoannular diene	=	0
Total	=	247 nm



b)

Base	=	217
Additional double bonds	=	+30
Auxochromic alkyl groups	=	+25
Exocyclic double bond	=	+5
<u>Homoannular diene</u>	=	<u>0</u>
Total	=	277 nm

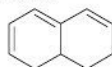
c)

Base	=	217
Additional double bonds	=	+30
Auxochromic alkyl groups	=	+30
Exocyclic double bonds	=	+15
<u>Homoannular diene</u>	=	<u>0</u>
Total	=	292 nm

d)

Base	=	217
Additional double bonds	=	+30
Auxochromic alkyl groups	=	+35
Exocyclic double bonds	=	+5
<u>Homoannular diene</u>	=	<u>+39</u>
Total	=	326 nm

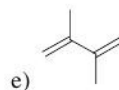
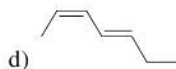
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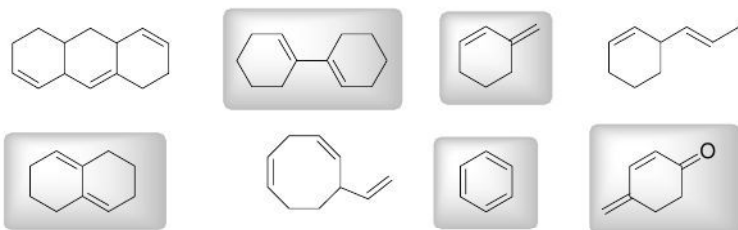
17.31.

- a) Blue.  
 b) Red-Orange.  
 c) Blue-violet.

17.32.



17.33.



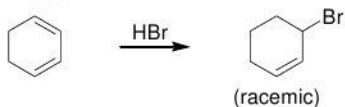
17.34.

a) These drawings represent two different conformations of the same compound: the *s-cis* conformation and the *s-trans* conformation. These two conformations are in equilibrium at room temperature.

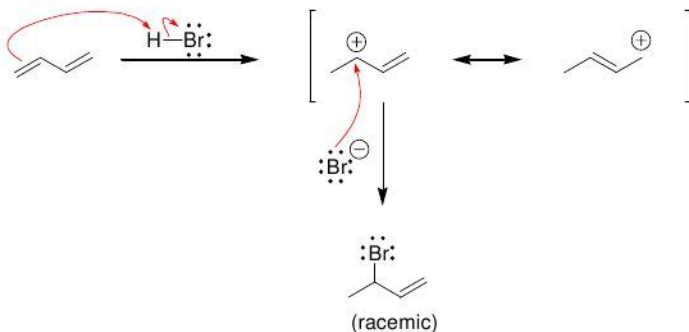
b) These drawings represent two different compounds: (*Z*)-1,3,5-hexatriene and (*E*)-1,3,5-hexatriene. These compounds are diastereomers and can be isolated from one another.

c) These drawings represent two different conformations of the same compound: the *s-cis* conformation and the *s-trans* conformation. These two conformations are in equilibrium at room temperature.

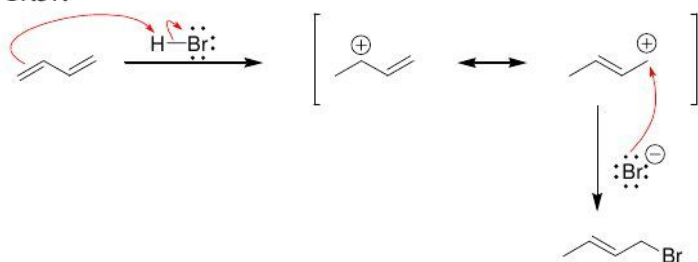
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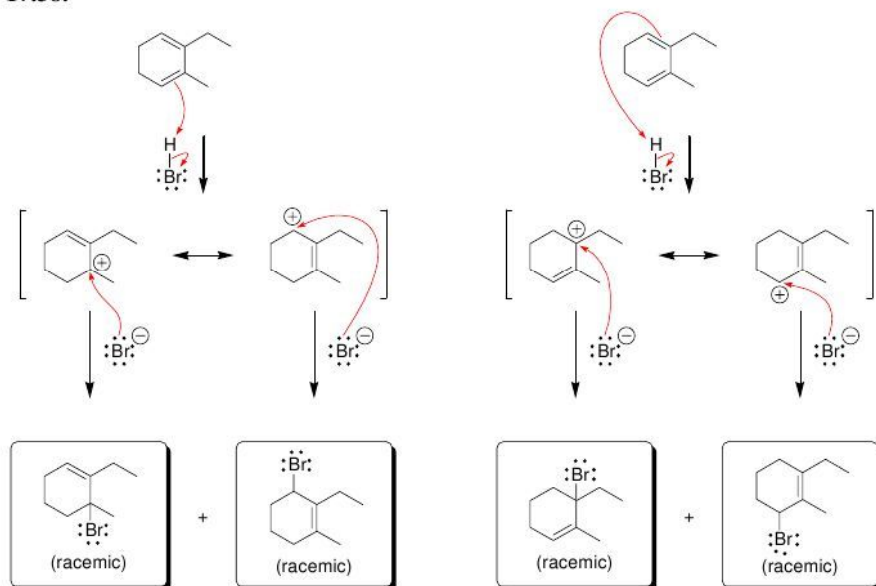
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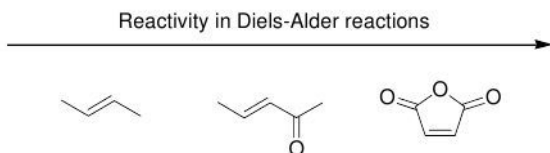
17.38.



**17.39.** An increase in temperature allowed the system to reach equilibrium concentrations, which are determined by the relative stability of each product. Under these conditions, the 1,4-adducts predominate. Once at equilibrium, lowering the temperature will not cause a decrease in the concentration of the 1,4-adducts.

**17.40.**

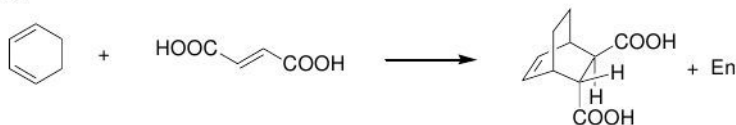
- a) The *tert*-butyl groups provide significant steric hinderance that prevents the compound from adopting an *s-cis* conformation.
- b) This diene is not conjugated.
- c) The methyl groups provide significant steric hinderance that prevents the compound from adopting an *s-cis* conformation.
- d) This diene cannot adopt an *s-cis* conformation

**17.41.**

- 17.42.** The  $\pi$  bonds in 1,2-butadiene are not conjugated, and  $\lambda_{\max}$  is therefore lower than 217 nm. In fact, it is below 200 nm, which is beyond the range used by most UV-VIS spectrometers.

**17.43.**

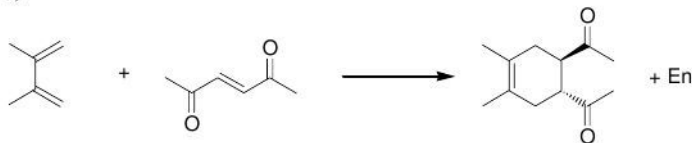
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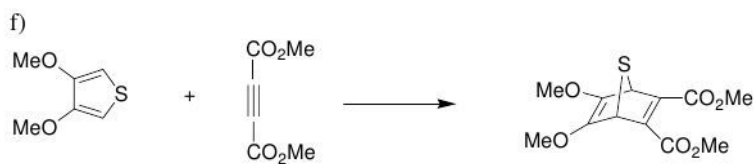
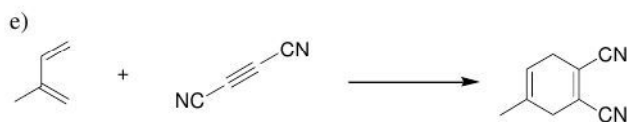
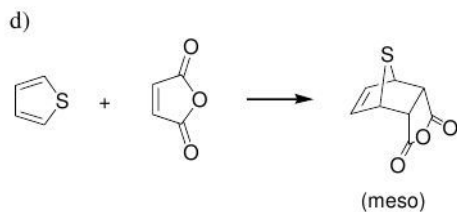
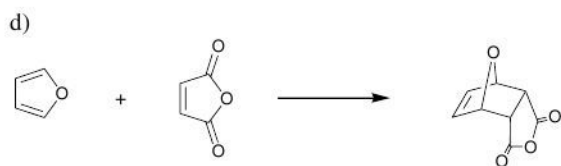
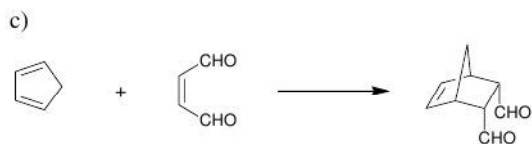
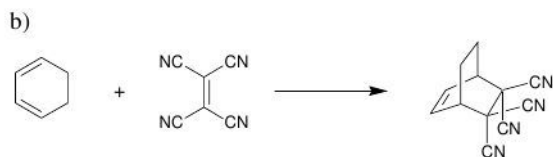
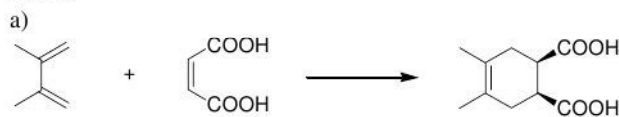


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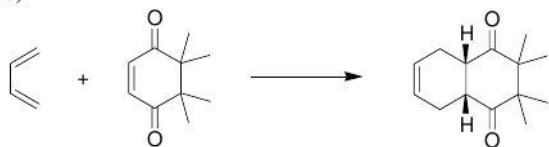


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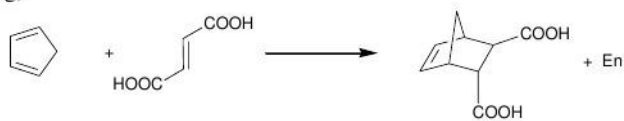
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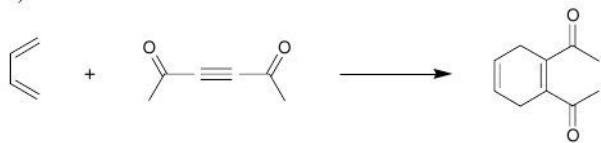
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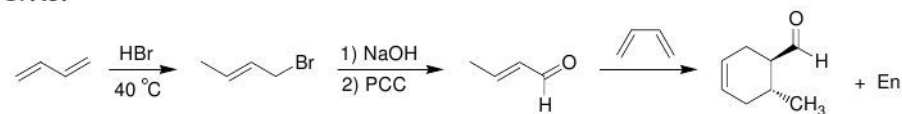
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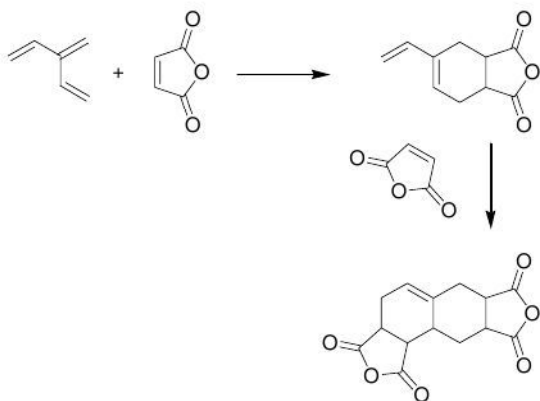
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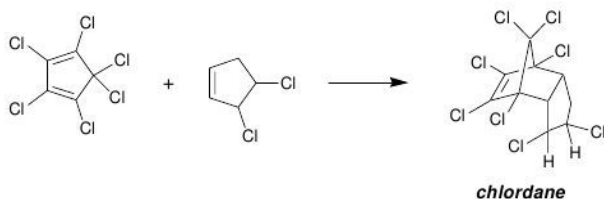
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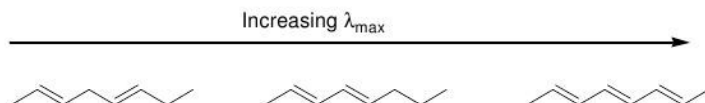


17.48. The two ends of the conjugated system are much farther apart in a seven-membered ring than they are in a five-membered ring.

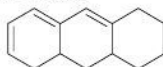
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17.50.



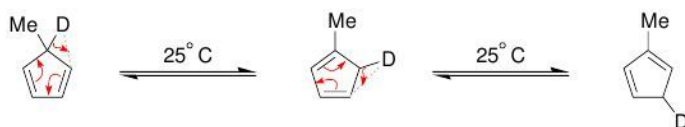
17.51. Two of the  $\pi$  bonds are homoannular in this compound, which adds +39 nm according to Woodward-Fieser rules.



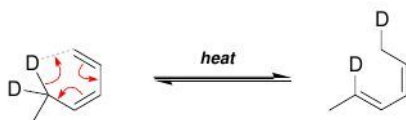
17.52.

Base	=	217
Additional double bonds	=	+60
Auxochromic alkyl groups	=	+35
Exocyclic double bonds	=	+5
<u>Homoannular diene</u>	=	<u>+39</u>
Total	=	356 nm

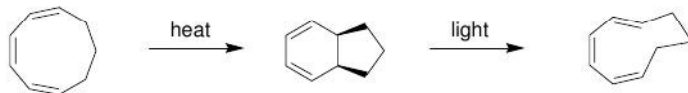
17.53. Each of these transformations can be explained with a [1,5] sigmatropic rearrangement:



**17.54.** This transformation can be explained with a [1,5] sigmatropic rearrangement:

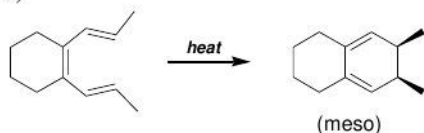


**17.55.**

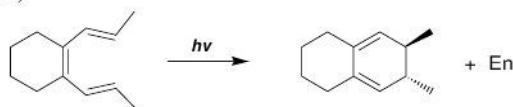


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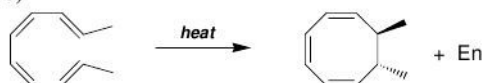
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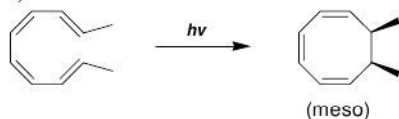
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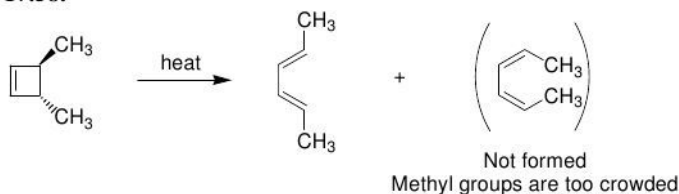
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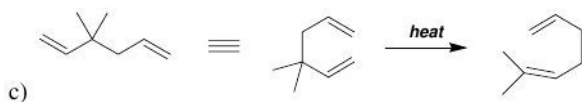
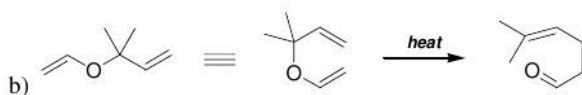
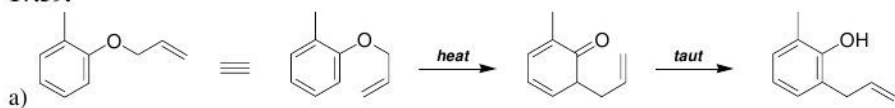
**17.57.** The compound on the right has a  $\pi$  bond in conjugation with the aromatic ring, while the compound on the left does not. Therefore, the compound on the right side of the equilibrium is expected to be more stable, and the equilibrium will favor the compound that is lower in energy.



## 17.58.

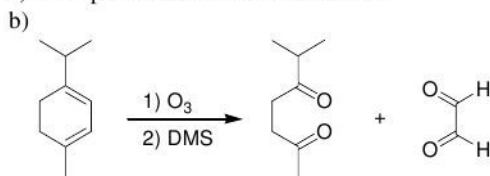


## 17.59.

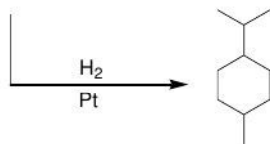


## 17.60.

a)  $\alpha$ -Terpinene has two double bonds.



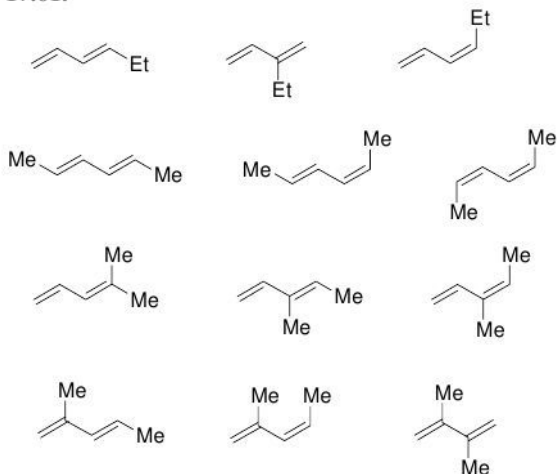
$\alpha$ -terpinene



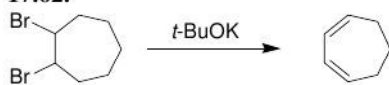
c)

Base	=	217
Additional double bonds	=	0
Auxochromic alkyl groups	=	+20
Exocyclic double bonds	=	0
<u>Homoannular diene</u>	=	<u>+39</u>
Total	=	276 nm

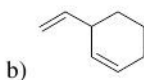
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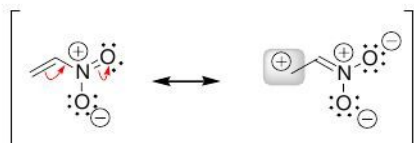
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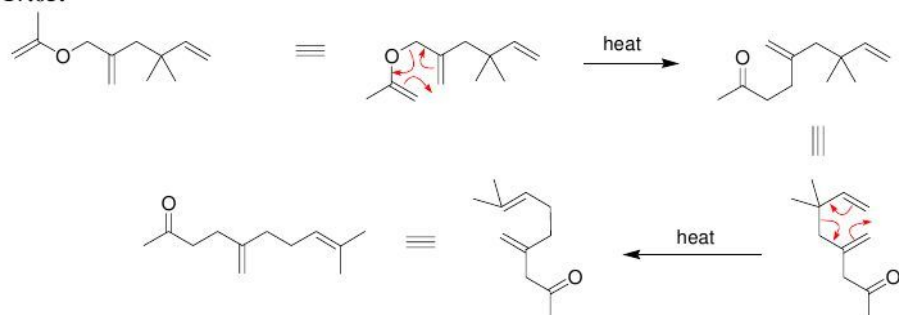
17.63. In each case, the non-conjugated isomer will be higher in energy:



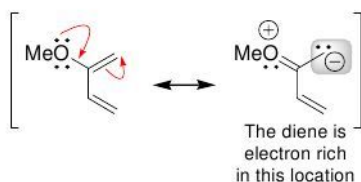
17.64. Nitroethylene should be more reactive than ethylene in a Diels–Alder reaction, because the nitro group is electron-withdrawing, via resonance:



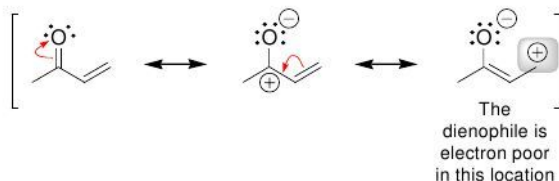
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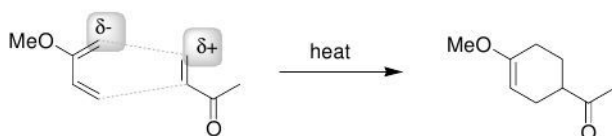
17.66. The diene is electron-rich in one specific location, as seen in the second resonance structure below:



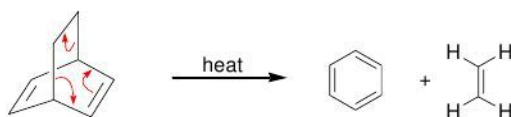
The dienophile is electron-poor in one specific location, as seen in the third resonance structure below:



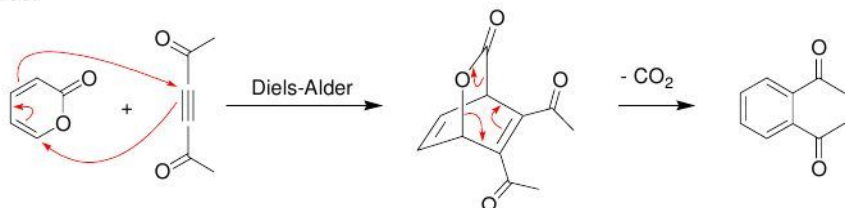
These two compounds will join in such a way that the electron-poor center lines up with the electron-rich center:



17.67.



17.68.



**17.69.** The nitrogen atom in divinyl amine is  $sp^2$  hybridized. The lone pair is delocalized, and joins the two neighboring  $\pi$  bonds into one conjugated system. As such, the compound absorbs light above 200 nm (UV light). In contrast, 1,4-pentadiene has two isolated double bonds and therefore does not absorb UV light in the region between 200 and 400 nm.

# Chapter 18

## Aromatic Compounds

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 18. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

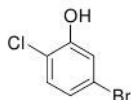
- When a benzene ring is a substituent, it is called a \_\_\_\_\_ **group**.
- Dimethyl derivatives of benzene can be differentiated by the use of the descriptors \_\_\_\_\_, **meta** and \_\_\_\_\_, or by the use of locants \_\_\_\_\_.
- Benzene is comprised of a ring of six identical C-C bonds, each of which has a bond order of \_\_\_\_\_.
- The **stabilization energy** of benzene can be measured by comparing \_\_\_\_\_ of hydrogenation.
- The stability of benzene can be explained with MO theory. The six  $\pi$  electrons all occupy \_\_\_\_\_ MOs.
- The presence of a fully conjugated ring of  $\pi$  electrons is not the sole requirement for aromaticity. The requirement for an odd number of electron pairs is called \_\_\_\_\_ **rule**.
- **Frost circles** accurately predict the relative energy levels of the \_\_\_\_\_ in a conjugated ring system.
- A compound is aromatic if it contains a ring comprised of \_\_\_\_\_ and if it has a \_\_\_\_\_ number  $\pi$  electrons in the ring.
- Compounds that fail the first criterion are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Compounds that satisfy the first criterion, but have  $4n$  electrons (rather than  $4n+2$ ) are \_\_\_\_\_.
- Cyclic compounds containing heteroatoms, such as S, N, O are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Any carbon atom attached directly to a benzene ring is called a \_\_\_\_\_ **position**.
- Alkyl benzenes are oxidized at the benzylic position by \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.
- In a **Birch reduction**, the aromatic moiety is reduced to give a nonconjugated diene. The carbon atom connected to \_\_\_\_\_ is not reduced, while the carbon atom connected to \_\_\_\_\_ is reduced.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 18. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 18.1 Naming a Polysubstituted Benzene

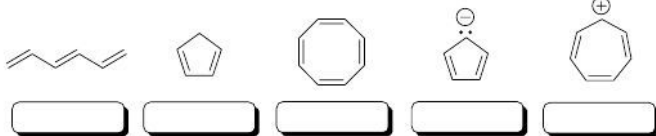
PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE

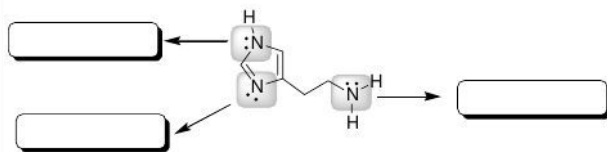
### 18.2 Determining Whether a Compound is Aromatic, Nonaromatic, or Antiaromatic

IDENTIFY EACH COMPOUND OR ION BELOW AS AROMATIC, ANTIAROMATIC, OR NONAROMATIC:



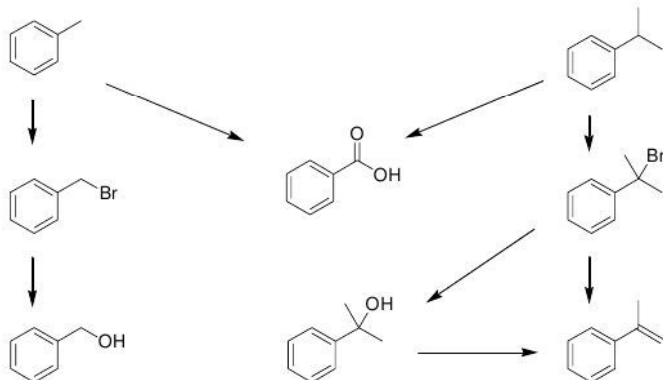
### 18.3 Determining Whether a Lone Pair Participates in Aromaticity

IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND, IDENTIFY WHETHER EACH LONE PAIR PARTICIPATES IN AROMATICITY:



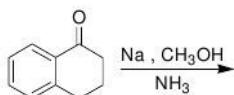
### 18.4 Manipulating the Side Chain of an Aromatic Compound

FOR EACH TRANSFORMATION BELOW, IDENTIFY THE TYPE OF REACTION THAT COULD BE USED ( $S_N2$ ,  $S_N1$ ,  $E2$ , ETC.)

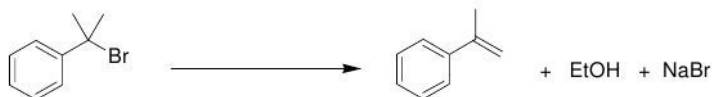
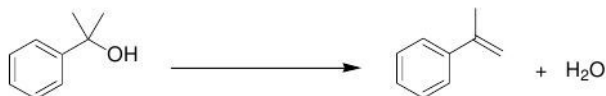
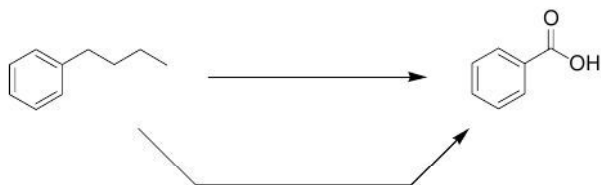


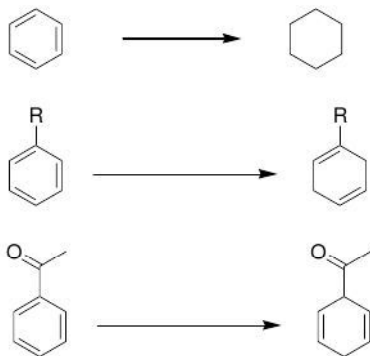
## 18.5 Predicting the Product of a Birch Reduction

PREDICT THE MAJOR PRODUCT OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION:

**Review of Reactions**

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 18. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.





## Solutions

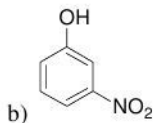
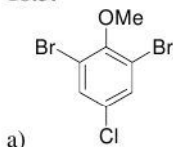
### 18.1.

- a) 3-isopropylbenzaldehyde or *meta*-isopropylbenzaldehyde
- b) 2-bromotoluene or *ortho*-bromotoluene
- c) 2,4-dinitrophenol
- d) 2-ethyl-1,4-diisopropylbenzene
- f) 2,6-dibromo-4-chloro-3-ethyl-5-isopropylphenol

### 18.2.

- a) 4-bromo-2-methylphenol
- b) 2-hydroxy-5-bromotoluene
- c) 4-bromo-1-hydroxy-2-methylbenzene

### 18.3.

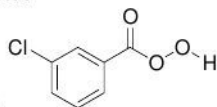


### 18.4.

- a) meta-xylene
- b) 1,3-dimethylbenzene
- c) meta-dimethylbenzene
- d) meta-methyltoluene
- e) 3-methyltoluene

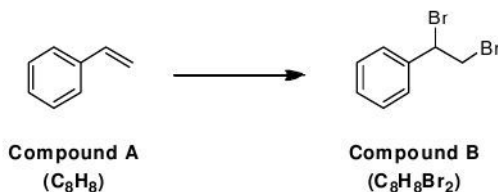


18.5.



- a)  
b) 3-methylperbenzoic acid or *meta*-methylperbenzoic acid.

18.6.



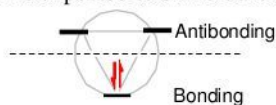
18.7.

- a)  $\Delta H$  has a positive value  
b)  $\Delta H$  has a positive value  
c)  $\Delta H$  has a negative value

18.8.

- a) No, 12 is not a Hückel number.  
b) Yes, 14 is a Hückel number.  
c) No, 16 is not a Hückel number.

18.9. The cyclopropenyl cation is expected to exhibit aromatic stabilization.

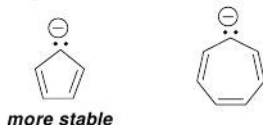


18.10. The compound will be aromatic because there are 22  $\pi$  electron, and 22 is a Hückel number.

18.11.

- a) antiaromatic      b) aromatic      c) antiaromatic      d) aromatic

**18.12.** Cyclopentadiene is more acidic because its conjugate base is highly stabilized. Deprotonation of cyclopentadiene generates an anion that is aromatic, because it is a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals containing  $6 \pi$  electrons. In contrast, deprotonation of cycloheptatriene gives an anion with  $8 \pi$  electrons.



**18.13.** The first step of an  $S_N1$  process is loss of a leaving group, forming a carbocation, so we compare the carbocations that would be formed.



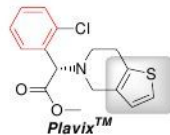
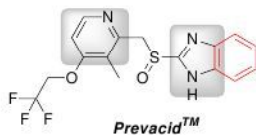
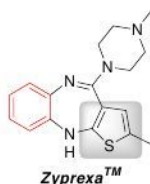
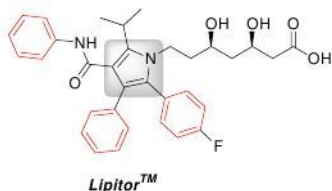
The second carbocation is more stable, because it is aromatic, and is therefore lower in energy than the first carbocation. The transition state leading to the second carbocation will be lower in energy than the transition state leading to the first carbocation, and therefore, the second carbocation will be formed more rapidly than the first.

**18.14.** The first compound is more acidic because deprotonation of the first compound generates a new (second) aromatic ring. Deprotonation of the second compound does not introduce a new aromatic ring:

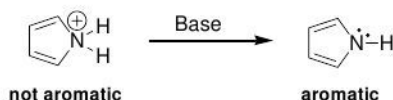


- 18.15.**
- One of the lone pairs on oxygen
  - One of the lone pairs on sulfur
  - The lone pair on nitrogen is NOT participating in aromaticity ( $8 \pi$  electrons).
  - One of the lone pairs on sulfur
  - There is only one pair (on oxygen) and it is not participating in aromaticity.
  - Each nitrogen has one lone pair, and neither is participating in aromaticity.
  - The compound is not aromatic. In order to achieve a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals, each oxygen atom would need to contribute a lone pair in a  $p$  orbital, and that would give  $8 \pi$  electrons (not a Hückel number).
  - One of the lone pairs on oxygen (not the lone pair on the nitrogen)

## 18.16.



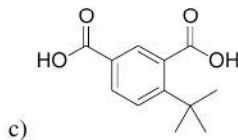
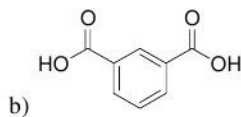
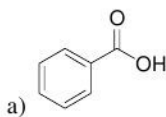
**18.17.** The first compound is expected to be more acidic (has a lower  $pK_a$ ), because deprotonation restores aromaticity to the ring. The second compound is already aromatic, even before deprotonation.



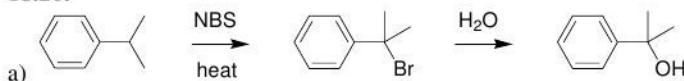
## 18.18.

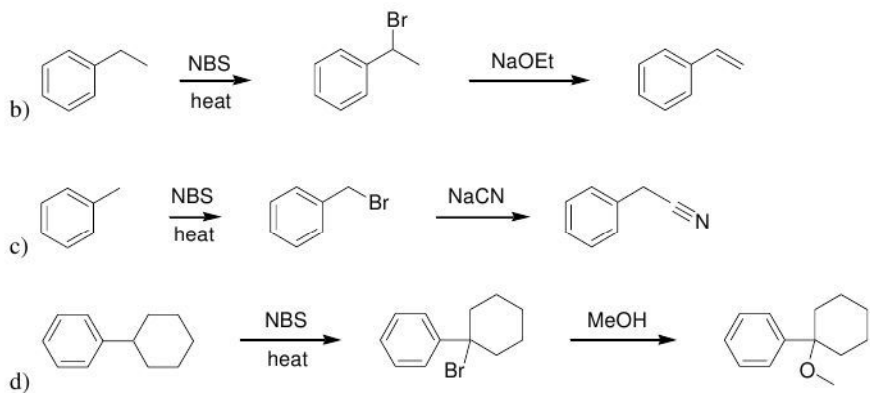
- Yes, it has the required pharmacophore (two aromatic rings separated by one carbon atom, and a tertiary amine).
- Meclizine crosses the blood-brain barrier and binds with receptors in the central nervous system, causing sedation.
- Introduce polar functional groups that reduce the ability of the compound to cross the blood-brain barrier.

## 18.19.

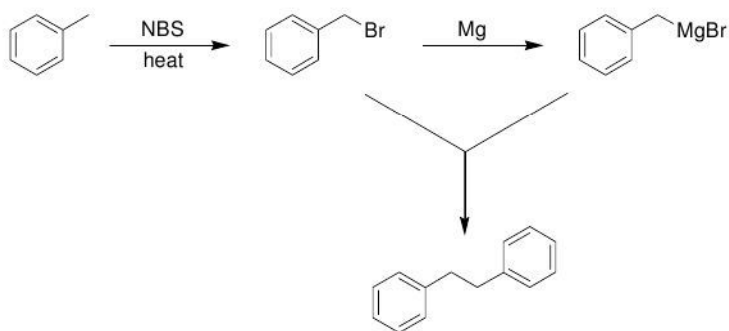


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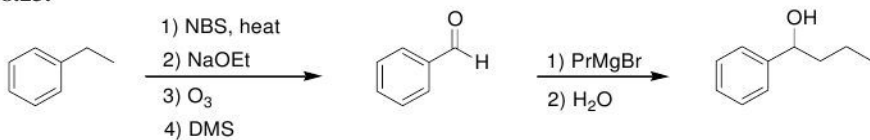
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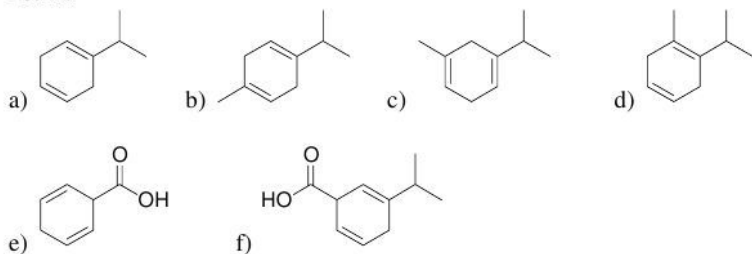
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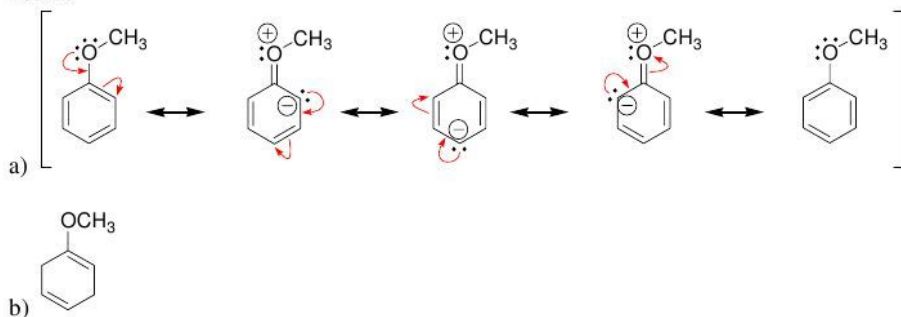
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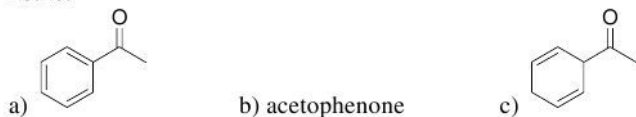
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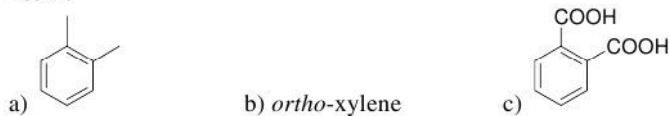
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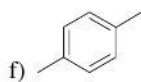
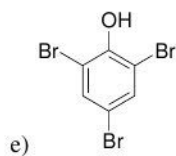
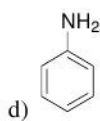
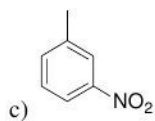
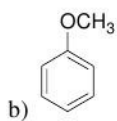
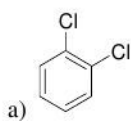
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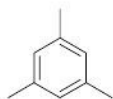
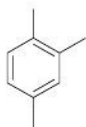
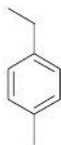
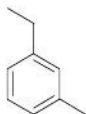
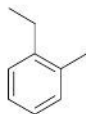
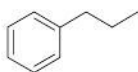
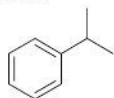
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- a) 4-ethylbenzoic acid or *para*-ethylbenzoic acid  
 b) 2-bromophenol or *ortho*-bromophenol  
 c) 2-chloro-4-nitrophenol  
 d) 2-bromo-5-nitrobenzaldehyde  
 e) 1,4-diisopropyl benzene or *para*-diisopropyl benzene

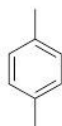
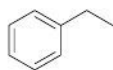
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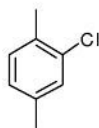
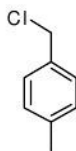
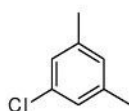
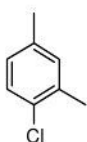
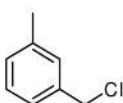
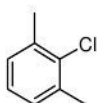
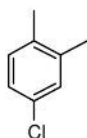
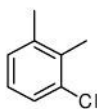
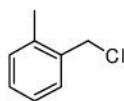
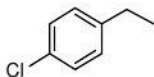
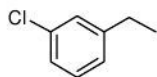
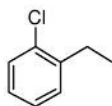
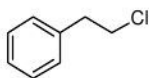
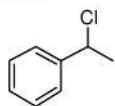
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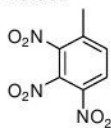
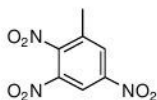
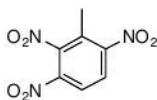
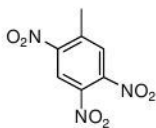
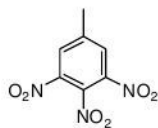
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## 18.32.



## 18.33.

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trinitrotoluene2,3,5-  
trinitrotoluene2,3,6-  
trinitrotoluene2,4,5-  
trinitrotoluene3,4,5-  
trinitrotoluene

## 18.34.

a) 10

b) 6

c) 10

d) 4

e) 6

## 18.35.

a) benzene

d) cyclohexane

g) benzene

j) cyclohexane

b) benzene

e) benzene

h) benzene

k) cyclohexane

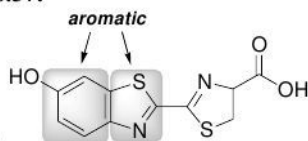
c) benzene

f) cyclohexane

i) benzene

- 18.36. a) Yes      b) No      c) No      d) Yes      e) No

18.37.



- a)  
b) One of the lone pairs on the sulfur atom in the five-membered aromatic ring

18.38.

- a) Nonaromatic. The lone pairs on the oxygen atom will remain in  $sp^3$  hybridized orbitals in order to avoid anti-aromaticity.  
b) Nonaromatic. The lone pair on the nitrogen atom will remain in an  $sp^3$  hybridized orbital in order to avoid anti-aromaticity.  
c) Aromatic. One of the lone pairs of the sulfur atom occupies a  $p$  orbital, thereby establishing a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals, containing six  $\pi$  electrons.  
d) Aromatic. Both lone pairs occupy  $sp^2$  hybridized orbitals and do not participate in establishing aromaticity.  
e) Aromatic. A continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals, containing six  $\pi$  electrons.  
f) Non aromatic. The nitrogen atom does not have a  $p$  orbital, so there is not a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals.  
g) Aromatic. The lone pair of the oxygen atom occupies a  $p$  orbital, thereby establishing a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals, containing six  $\pi$  electrons.  
h) Aromatic. Both lone pairs occupy  $p$  orbitals, thereby establishing a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals, containing six  $\pi$  electrons.

18.39.

- a) Loss of the leaving group generates an aromatic cation.  
b) Loss of the leaving group generates an antiaromatic cation.

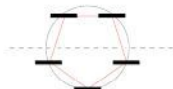
18.40.

- Deprotonation of cyclopentadiene generates an aromatic anion.



**18.41.** The second compound is a stronger base, because the lone pair on the nitrogen atom is localized and available to function as a base. However, the nitrogen atom in the first compound is delocalized and is participating in aromaticity. This lone pair is unavailable to function as a base, because that would cause a loss of aromaticity.

**18.42.** Six  $\pi$  electrons are required in order to achieve aromaticity. This cation only has four electrons.



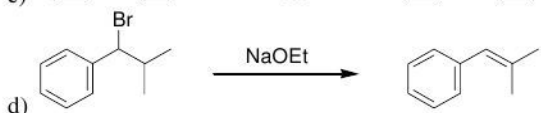
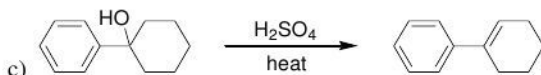
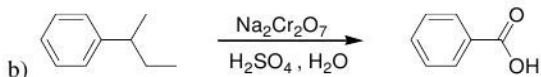
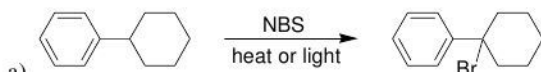
**18.43.** If both lone pairs occupy  $p$  orbitals, then there is a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals. There are 10  $\pi$  electrons, so the dianion is aromatic.

**18.44.** Yes. The lone pairs on the nitrogen atoms do not contribute to aromaticity. They occupy  $sp^2$  hybridized orbitals. One of the lone pairs on the oxygen atom (in the ring) occupies a  $p$  orbital, giving a continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals containing six  $\pi$  electrons.

**18.45.** Steric hindrance forces the rings out of coplanarity.

**18.46.** Benzene does not have three C-C single bond and three C-C double bonds. In fact, all six C-C bonds of the ring have the same bond order are the same length. However, cyclooctatetraene has four isolated  $\pi$  bonds. The molecule adopts a tub shape to avoid antiaromaticity. Some of the C-C bonds are double bonds (shorter in length), and some of the C-C bonds are single bonds (longer in length). Therefore, the two methyl groups can be separated by a C-C single bond or a C=C double bond. And those two possibilities represent different compounds.

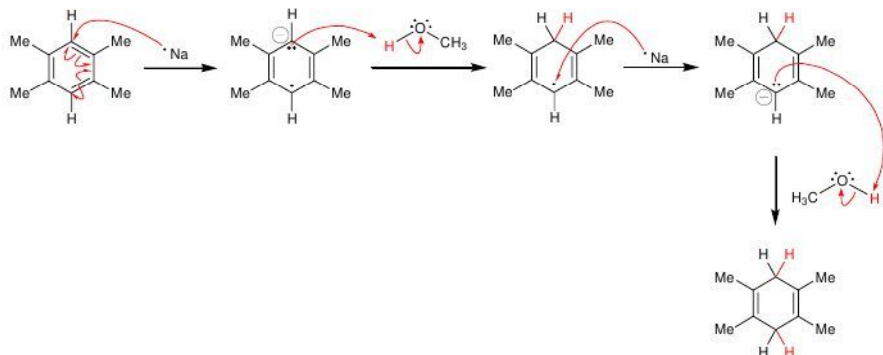
**18.47.**



18.48.

- a) 6                      b) 5                      c) 3                      d) 9

18.49.

18.50. *meta*-Xylene.

18.51.

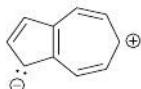
- a) The first compound would lack C-H stretching signals just above  $3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while the second compound will have C-H stretching signals just above  $3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ .  
 b) The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the first compound will have only one signal, while the  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of the second compound will have two signals.  
 c) The  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of the first compound will have only two signals, while the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of the second compound will have three signals.

18.52. When either compound is deprotonated, an aromatic anion is generated, which can be drawn with five resonance structures. The resulting anion is the same in either case.

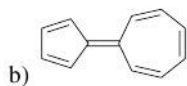
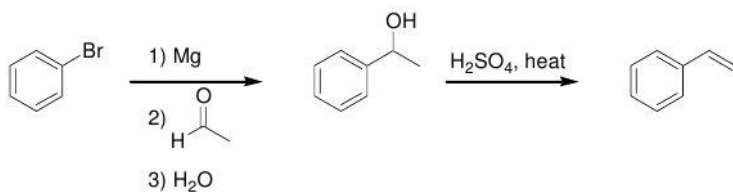
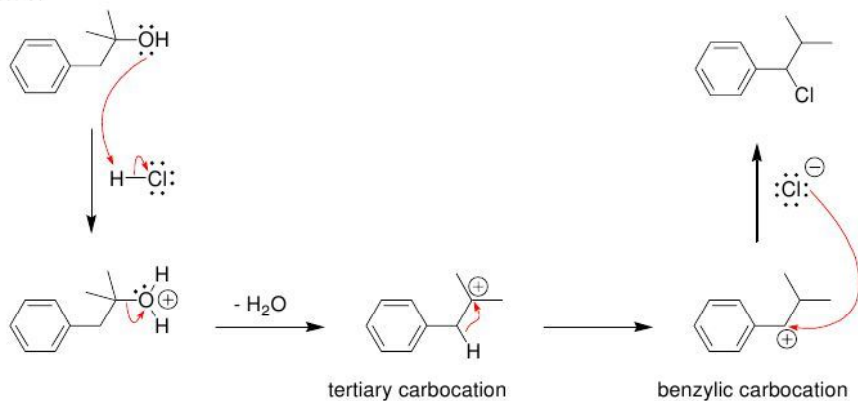
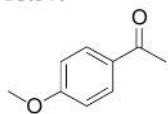
18.53. In cycloheptatrienone, the resonance structures with C+ and O- contribute significant character to the overall resonance hybrid, because these forms are aromatic. Therefore, the oxygen atom of this C=O bond is particularly electron rich. A similar analysis of cyclopentadienone reveals resonance structures with antiaromatic character. These resonance structures contribute very little character to the overall resonance hybrid, and as a result, the oxygen atom of this C=O bond is not as electron rich when compared with most C=O bonds.

**18.54.**

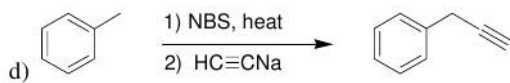
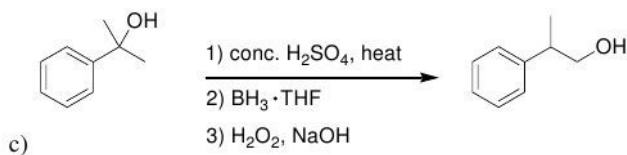
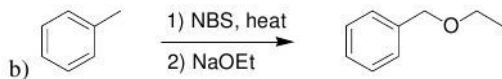
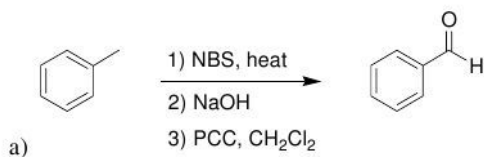
a) Each of the rings in the following resonance structure is aromatic.



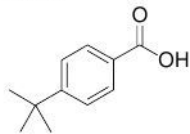
Therefore, this resonance structure contributes significant character to the overall resonance hybrid, which gives the azulene a considerable dipole moment.

**18.55.****18.56.****18.57.**

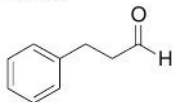
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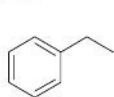
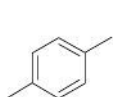


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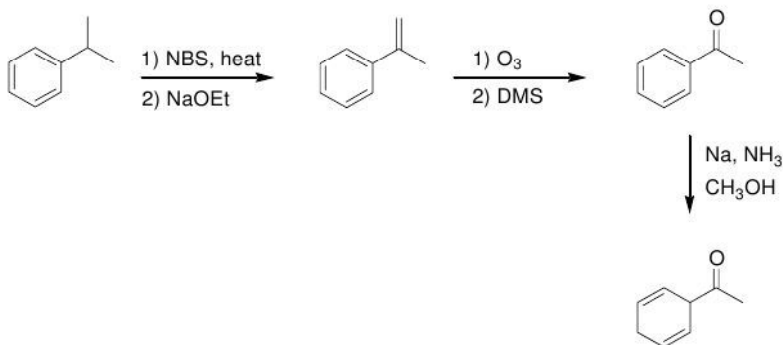
a) The second compound holds greater promise as a potential antihistamine, because it possesses two planar aromatic rings separated from each other by one carbon atom. The first compound has only one aromatic ring. The ring with sulfur and oxygen is not aromatic and not planar.

b) Yes, because it lacks polar functional groups that would prevent it from crossing the blood-brain barrier.

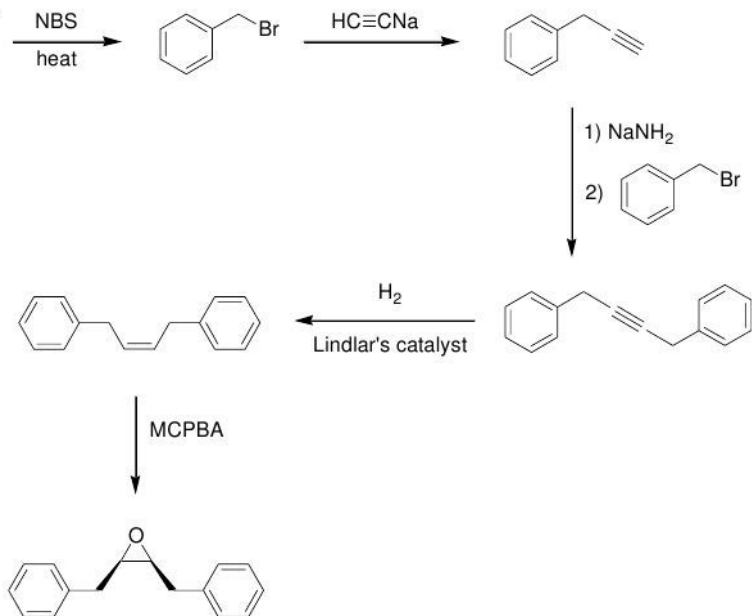
**18.62.** No, this compound possesses an allene moiety ( $C=C=C$ ). The  $p$  orbitals of one  $C=C$  bond of the allene moiety do not overlap with the  $p$  orbitals of the other  $C=C$  bond. This prevents the compound from having one continuous system of overlapping  $p$  orbitals.

**18.63.****Compound A****Compound B****Compound C****Compound D**

**18.64.** The nitrogen atom in compound A is localized and is not participating in resonance. The nitrogen atom in compound B is delocalized, and some of the resonance structures are aromatic. These resonance structures contribute significant character to the overall resonance hybrid. The nitrogen atom in compound B is not available to function as a base.

**18.65.**

18.66.



# Chapter 19

## Aromatic Substitution Reactions

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 19. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- In the presence of iron, an \_\_\_\_\_ **aromatic substitution** reaction is observed between benzene and bromine.
- Iron tribromide is a \_\_\_\_\_ acid that interacts with  $\text{Br}_2$  and generates  $\text{Br}^+$ , which is sufficiently electrophilic to be attacked by benzene.
- Electrophilic aromatic substitution involves two steps:
  - Formation of the \_\_\_\_\_ **complex**, or **arenium ion**.
  - Deprotonation, which restores \_\_\_\_\_.
- Sulfur trioxide ( $\text{SO}_3$ ) is a very powerful \_\_\_\_\_ that is present in fuming sulfuric acid. Benzene reacts with  $\text{SO}_3$  in a reversible process called \_\_\_\_\_.
- A mixture of sulfuric acid and nitric acid produces the **nitronium ion** ( $\text{NO}_2^+$ ). Benzene reacts with the nitronium ion in a process called \_\_\_\_\_.
- A nitro group can be reduced to an \_\_\_\_\_ group.
- **Friedel-Crafts alkylation** enables the installation of an alkyl group on \_\_\_\_\_. When choosing an alkyl halide, the carbon atom connected to the halogen must be \_\_\_\_\_ hybridized.
- When treated with a Lewis acid, an acyl chloride will generate an \_\_\_\_\_ **ion**, which is resonance stabilized and not susceptible to \_\_\_\_\_ rearrangements.
- When a Friedel-Crafts acylation is followed by a **Clemmensen reduction**, the net result is the installation of an \_\_\_\_\_ group.
- An aromatic ring is **activated** by a methyl group, which is an \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ **director**.
- All activators are \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ directors
- A nitro group **deactivates** an aromatic ring and is a \_\_\_\_\_ director.
- Most deactivators are \_\_\_\_\_ directors.
- **Strong activators** are characterized by the presence of a \_\_\_\_\_ immediately adjacent to the aromatic ring.
- **Strong deactivators** are powerfully electron-withdrawing, either by \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.
- When multiple substituents are present, the more powerful \_\_\_\_\_ dominates the directing effects.
- In a **nucleophilic aromatic substitution** reaction, the aromatic ring is attacked by a \_\_\_\_\_. This reaction has three requirements: 1) the ring must contain a powerful electron-withdrawing group (typically a \_\_\_\_\_ group) 2) the ring must contain a \_\_\_\_\_, and 3) the leaving group must be either \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ to the electron-withdrawing group.
- An **elimination-addition** reaction occurs via a \_\_\_\_\_ intermediate.

## Review of Skills

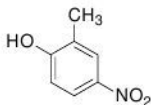
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### 19.1 Identifying the Effects of a Substituent

PLACE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING GROUPS IN THE CORRECT CATEGORY BELOW. <div> <math>\text{—NR}_3^+</math> <math>\text{—C(=O)R}</math> <math>\text{—NH}_2</math> <math>\text{—C(=O)OR}</math> <math>\text{—C}\equiv\text{N}</math> <math>\text{—Br}</math> <math>\text{—CX}_3</math> <math>\text{—NO}_2</math> </div> <div> <math>\text{—OR}</math> <math>\text{—F}</math> <math>\text{—Cl}</math> <math>\text{—OH}</math> <math>\text{—I}</math> <math>\text{—R}</math> </div>					
ACTIVATORS			DEACTIVATORS		
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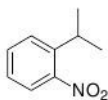
### 19.2 Identifying Directing Effects for Disubstituted and Polysubstituted Benzene Rings

IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND, IDENTIFY THE POSITION THAT IS MOST REACTIVE TOWARDS ELECTROPHILIC AROMATIC SUBSTITUTION.



### 19.3 Identifying Steric Effects for Disubstituted and Polysubstituted Aromatic Benzene Rings

IN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND, IDENTIFY THE POSITION THAT IS MOST REACTIVE TOWARDS ELECTROPHILIC AROMATIC SUBSTITUTION.



### 19.4 Using Blocking Groups to Control the Regiochemical Outcome of an Electrophilic Aromatic Substitution Reaction

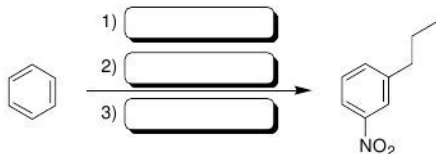
IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:





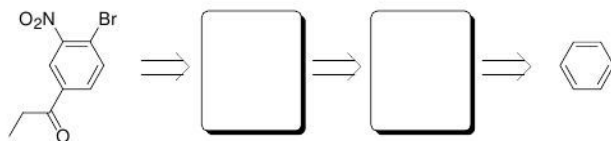
## 19.5 Proposing a Synthesis for a Disubstituted Benzene Ring

IDENTIFY A THREE-STEP PROCESS FOR ACHIEVING THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



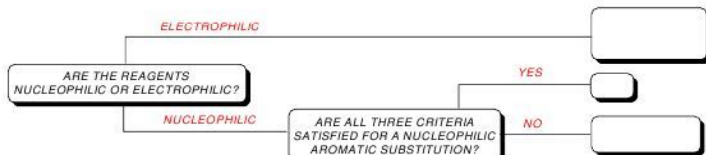
## 19.6 Proposing a Synthesis for a Polysubstituted Benzene Ring

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING RETROSYNTHETIC ANALYSIS:



## 19.7 Determining the Mechanism of an Aromatic Substitution Reaction

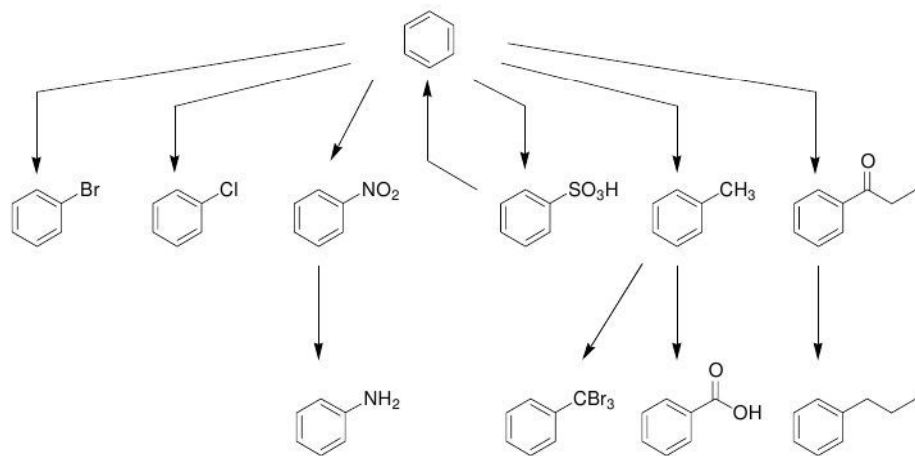
INDICATE THE MECHANISM THAT OPERATES IN EACH OF THE THREE SCENARIOS SHOWN IN THE FOLLOWING DECISION TREE:



## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 19. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

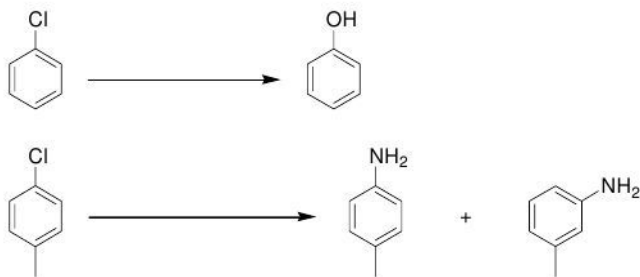
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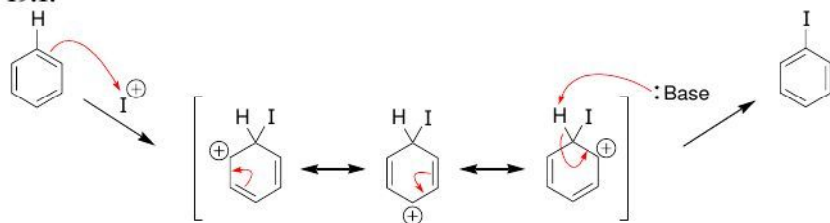
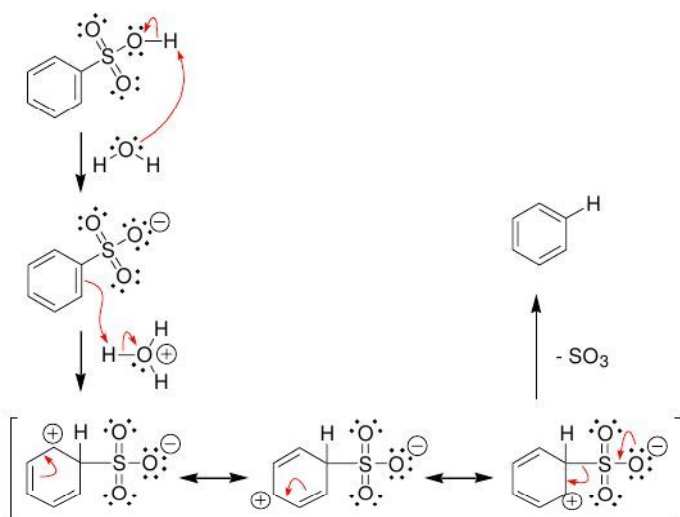


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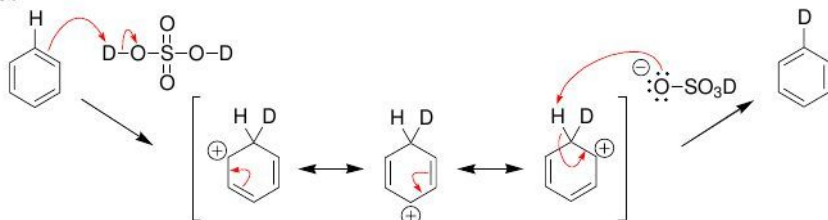


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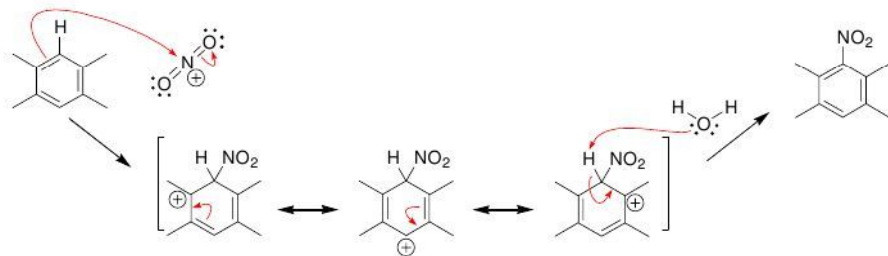
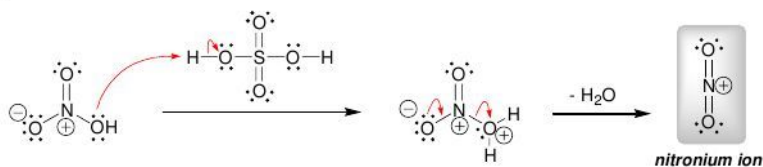


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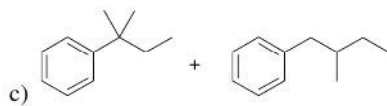
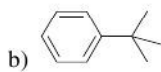
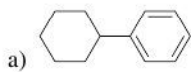
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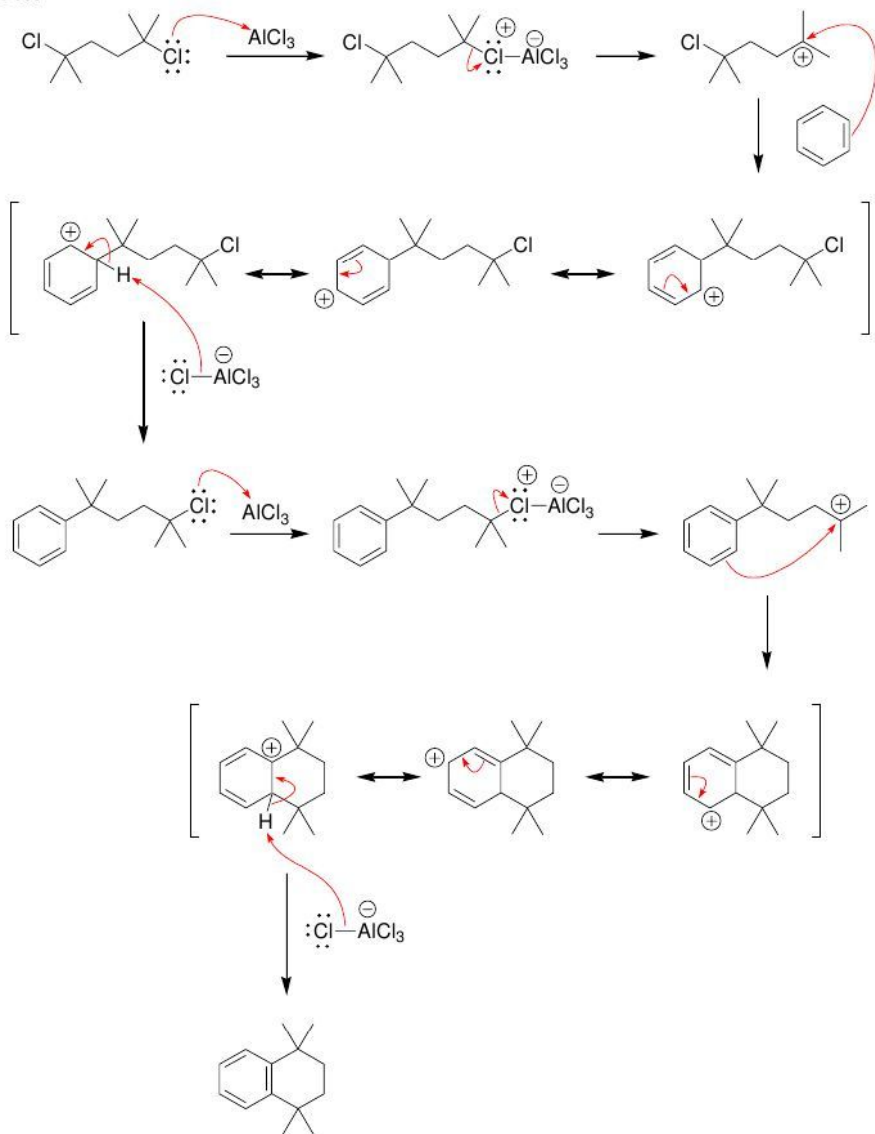
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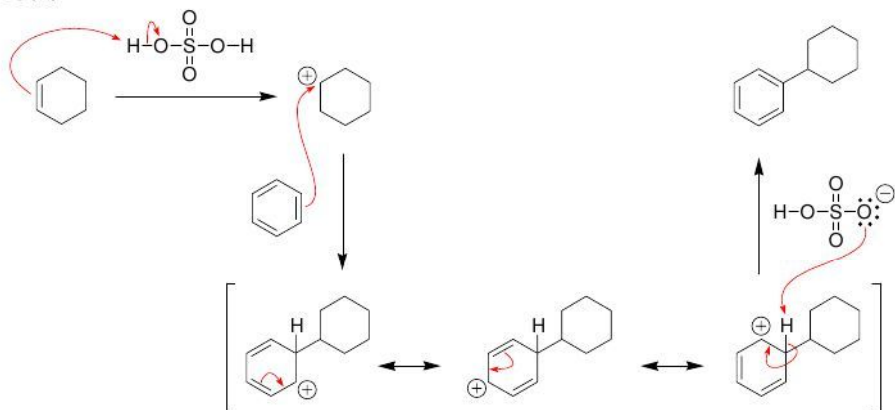
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**19.6.**



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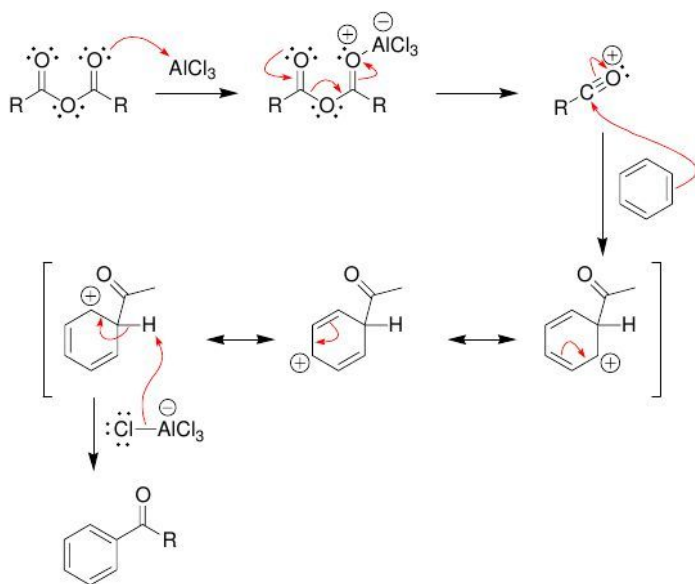


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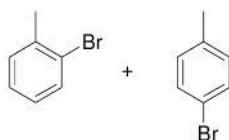
- It is necessary to perform an acylation followed by a Clemmensen reduction to avoid carbocation rearrangements.
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- The compounds can be made using a direct Friedel-Crafts alkylation.

**19.9.** It cannot be made via alkylation because the carbocation required would undergo a methyl shift to give a tertiary carbocation. It cannot be made via acylation followed by a Clemmensen reduction, because the product of a Clemmensen reduction has two benzylic protons. This compound has only one benzylic proton, which means that it cannot be made via a Clemmensen reduction.

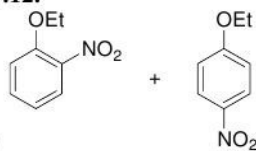
## 19.10.



## 19.11.

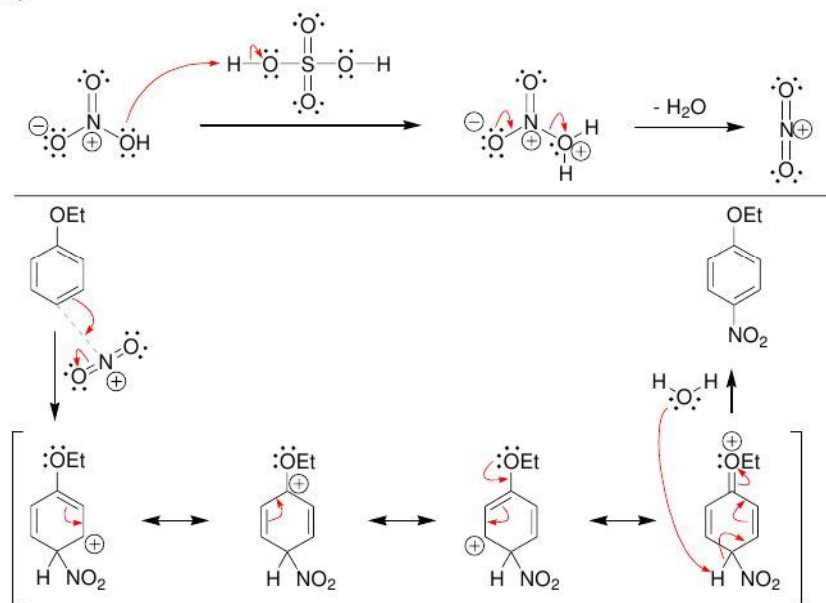


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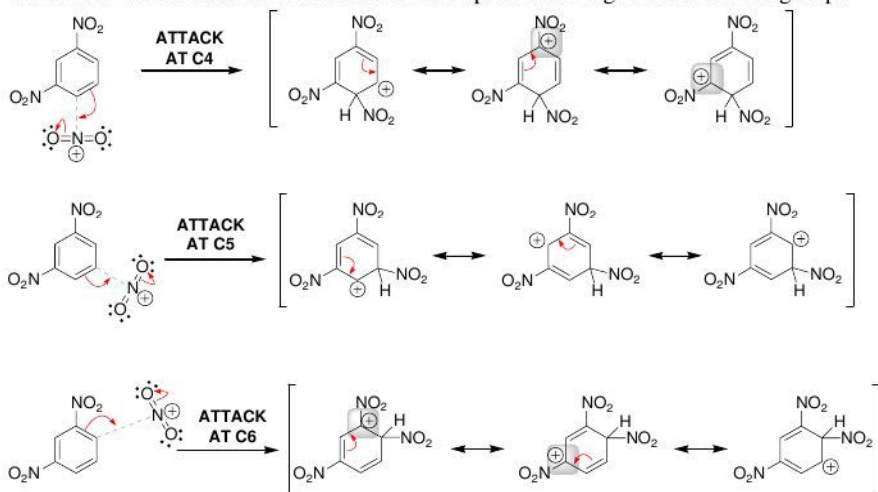


a)

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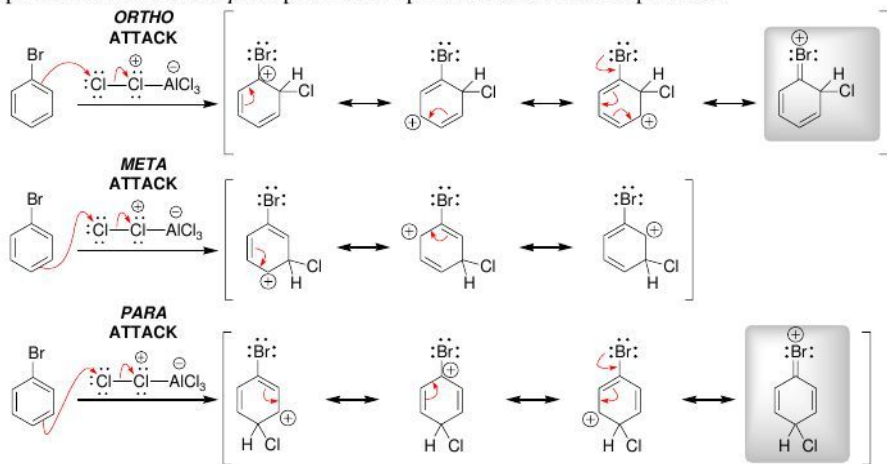
**19.13.** As show below, attack at C4 or C6 produces a sigma complex in which two of the resonance structures have a positive charge next to an electron-withdrawing group ( $\text{NO}_2$ ). These resonance structures are less contributing to the resonance hybrid, thereby destabilizing the sigma complex. In contrast, attack at C5 produces a sigma complex for which none of the resonance structures have a positive charge next to a nitro group.





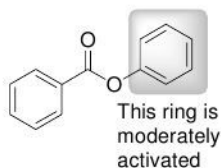
**19.14.** The chlorine atom in chlorobenzene deactivates the ring relative to benzene. If benzene requires a Lewis acid for chlorination, then chlorobenzene should certainly require a Lewis acid for chlorination.

**19.15.** *Ortho* attack and *para* attack are preferred because each of these pathways involves a sigma complex with four resonance structures (shown below). Attack at the *meta* position involves formation of a sigma complex with only three resonance structures, which is not as stable as a sigma complex with four resonance structures. The reaction will proceed more rapidly via the lower energy sigma complex, so attack takes place at the *ortho* and *para* positions in preference to the *meta* position.



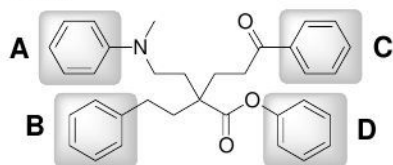
**19.16.**

- The nitro is strongly deactivating and *meta*-directing.
- An acyl group is moderately deactivating and *meta*-directing.
- A bromine atom weakly deactivating and *ortho*, *para*-directing.
- This group is moderately deactivating and *meta*-directing.
- This group is moderately deactivating and *meta*-directing.
- This group is moderately activating and *ortho*, *para*-directing.



**19.17.**

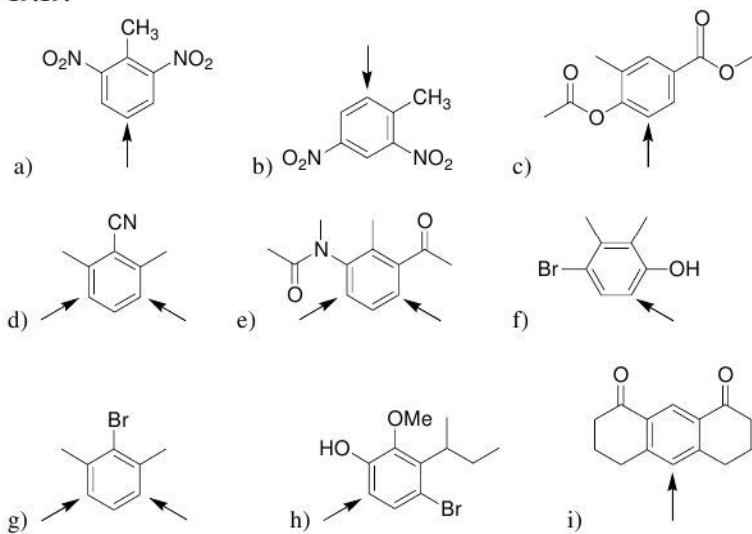
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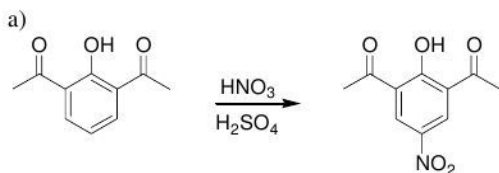
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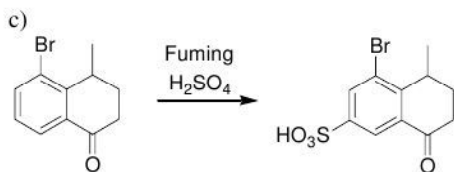
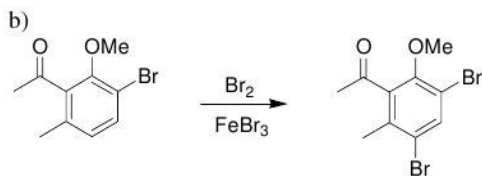
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19.19.

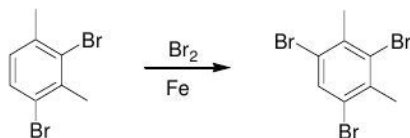


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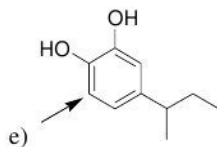
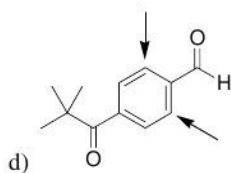
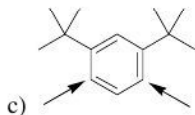
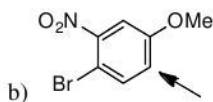
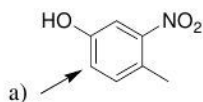




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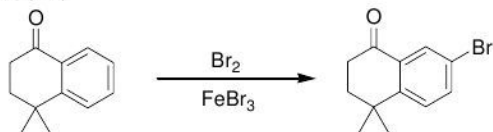


19.22.



19.23. All three available positions are sterically hindered.

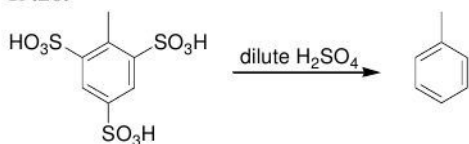
19.24.



19.25.

- a) Yes      b) No      c) Yes      d) No

## 19.26.



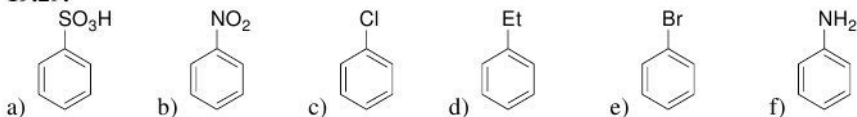
## 19.27.

- a) The nitro group must be installed in a position that is *meta* to each of the OH groups. Even with a blocking group, *meta* attack cannot be achieved on a highly activated ring.  
 b) The position that must undergo bromination is too sterically hindered because of the presence of the *tert*-butyl groups.

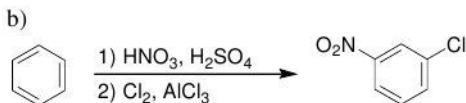
## 19.28.

- a)  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$   
 b)  $\text{HNO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$   
 c)  $\text{Br}_2$ ,  $\text{FeBr}_3$   
 d)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$   
 e)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COCl}$ , followed by  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{Zn}[\text{Hg}]$ , heat  
 f)  $(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$   
 g)  $\text{HNO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ , followed by  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{Zn}$   
 h)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$ , followed by  $\text{KMnO}_4$ ,  $\text{NaOH}$ , heat, followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$   
 i)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$

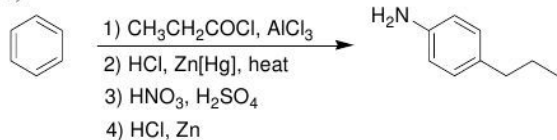
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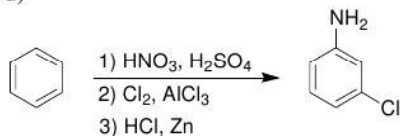
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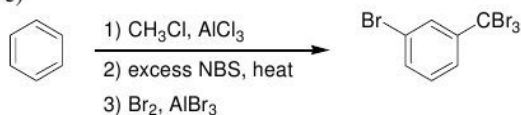
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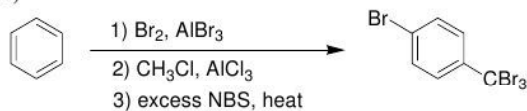
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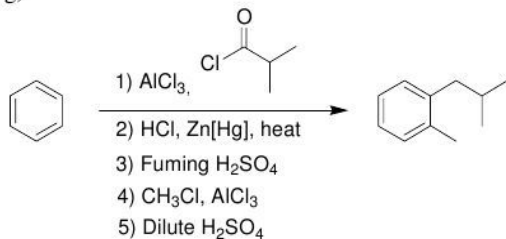
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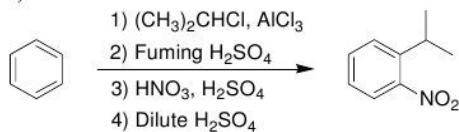
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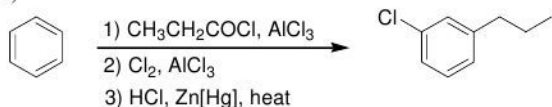
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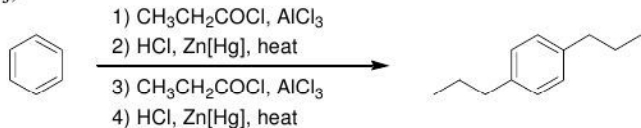
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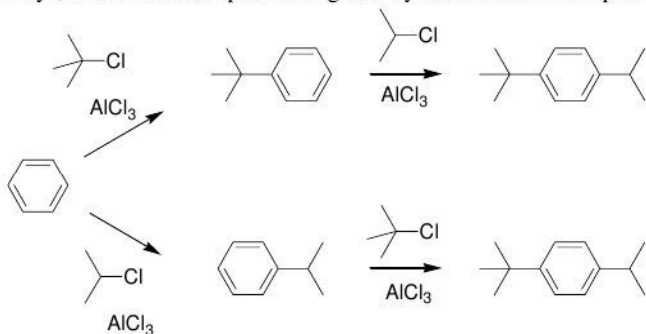
i)



j)



**19.31.** The *para* product will be more strongly favored over the *ortho* product if the *tert*-butyl group is installed first. The steric hindrance provided by a *tert*-butyl group is greater than the steric hindrance provided by an isopropyl group. Of the following two possible pathways, the first should provide a greater yield of the desired product.

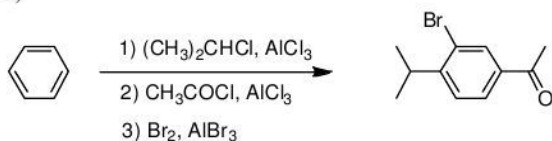


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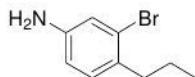
- a) Nitration cannot be achieved effectively in the presence of an amino group.  
 b) Each of the two alkyl groups is *ortho-para* directing, but the two groups are *meta* to each other. A Friedel-Crafts acylation will not work in this case (see solution to problem 19.9)

**19.33.**

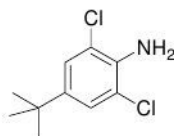
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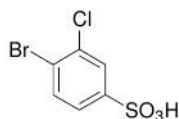
b)

1)  $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COCl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$ 2)  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{Zn}[\text{Hg}]$ , heat3)  $\text{HNO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ 4)  $\text{Br}_2$ ,  $\text{AlBr}_3$ 5)  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{Zn}$ 

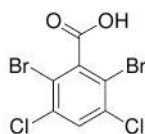
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1)  $(\text{CH}_3)_3\text{CCl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$ 2)  $\text{HNO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ 3)  $\text{HCl}$ ,  $\text{Zn}$ 4) excess  $\text{Cl}_2$ 

d)

1)  $\text{Br}_2$ ,  $\text{AlBr}_3$ 2) Fuming  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ 3)  $\text{Cl}_2$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$ 

19.34.

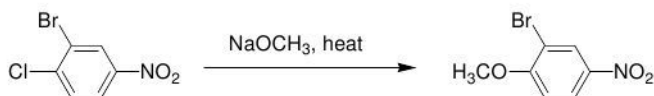
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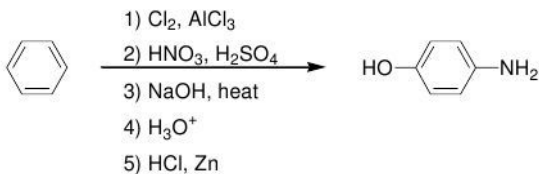
b) The sixth position is sterically hindered by the presence of the  $\text{Cl}$  atoms.

c) The ring is deactivated because all five groups are deactivators.

19.35.



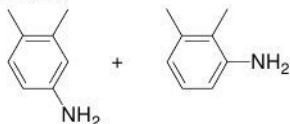
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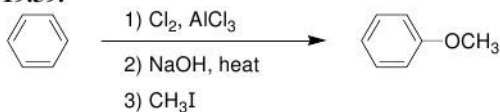
19.37.

- a) Each additional nitro group serves as a reservoir of electron density and provides for an additional resonance structure in the sigma complex, thereby stabilizing the sigma complex and lowering the energy of activation for the reaction.
- b) No, a fourth nitro group would not be *ortho* or *para* to the leaving group, and therefore cannot function as a reservoir.

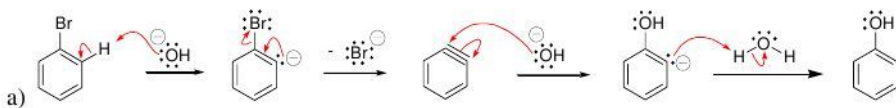
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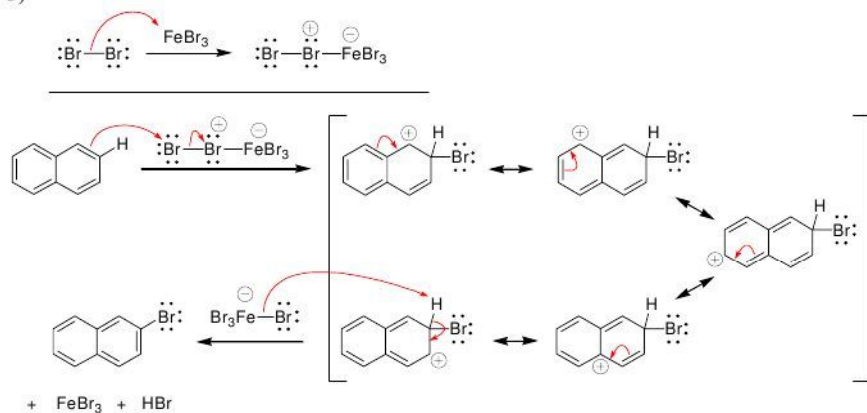


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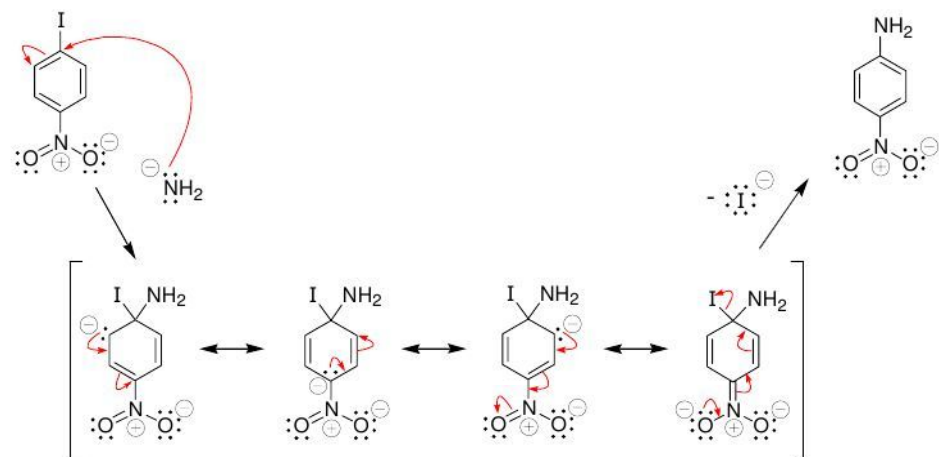
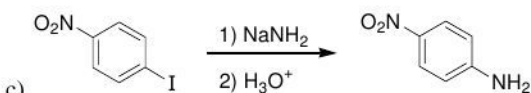




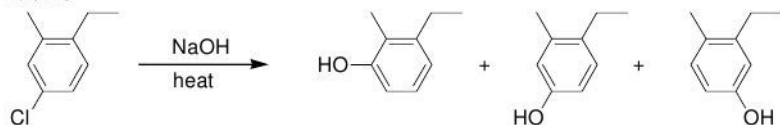
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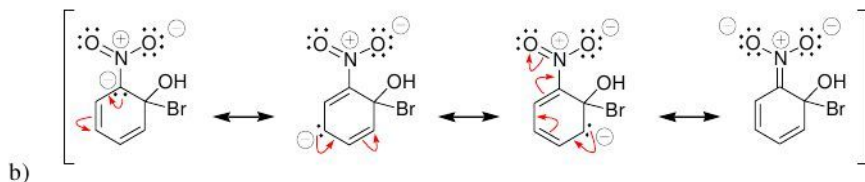
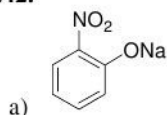
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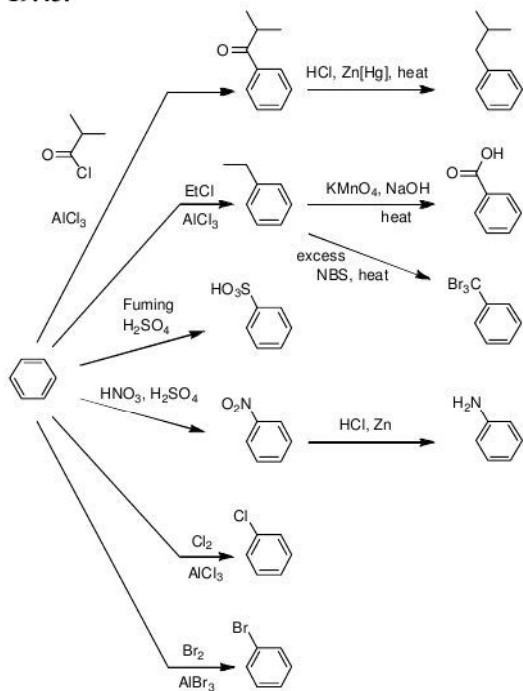
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c) No

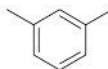
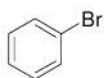
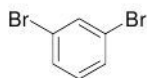
d) Yes

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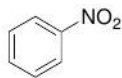


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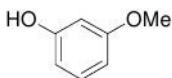
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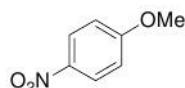
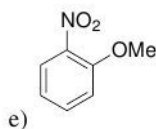
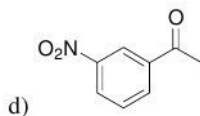
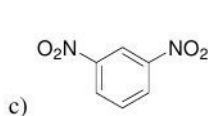
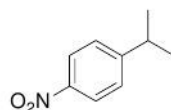
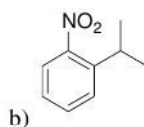
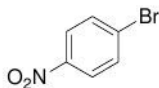
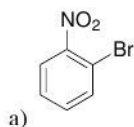


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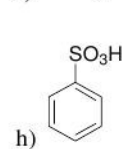
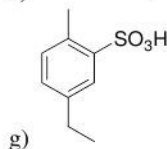
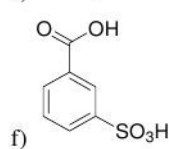
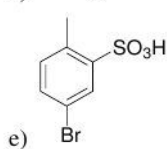
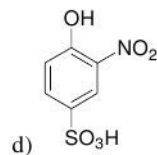
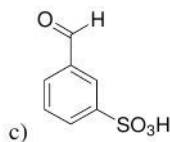
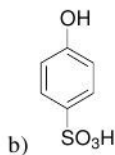
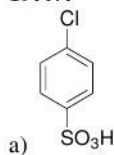


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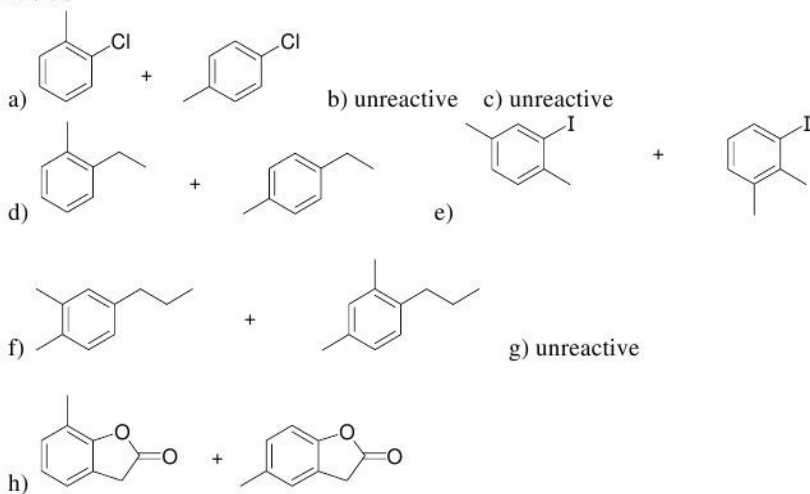
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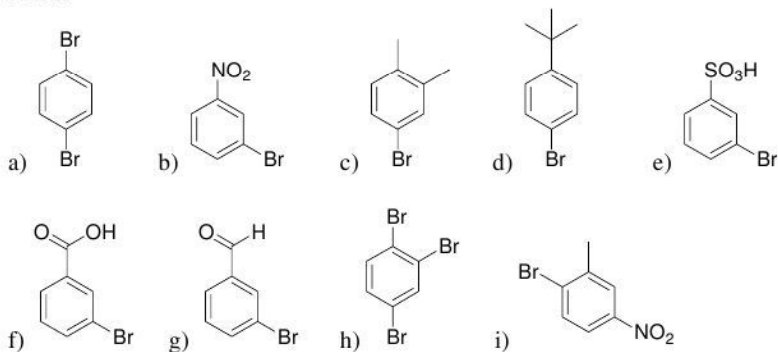
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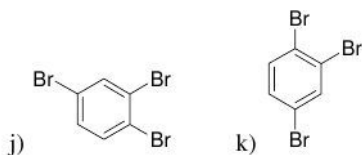
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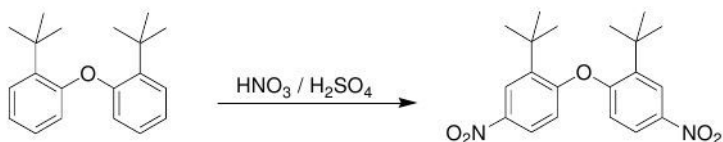


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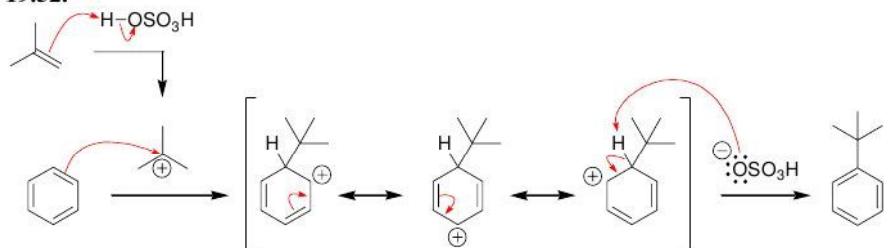




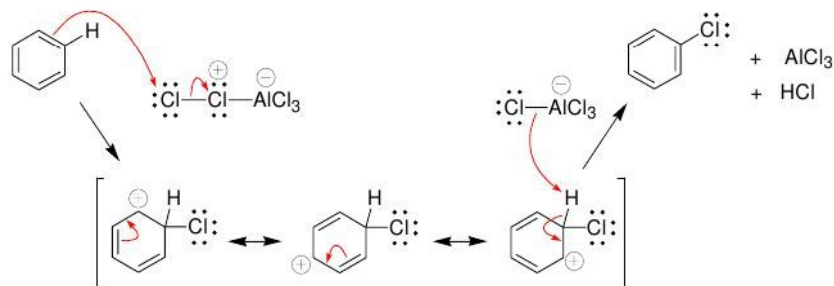
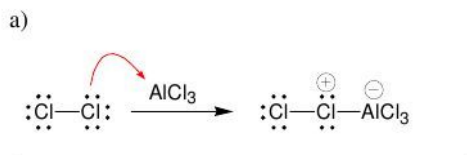
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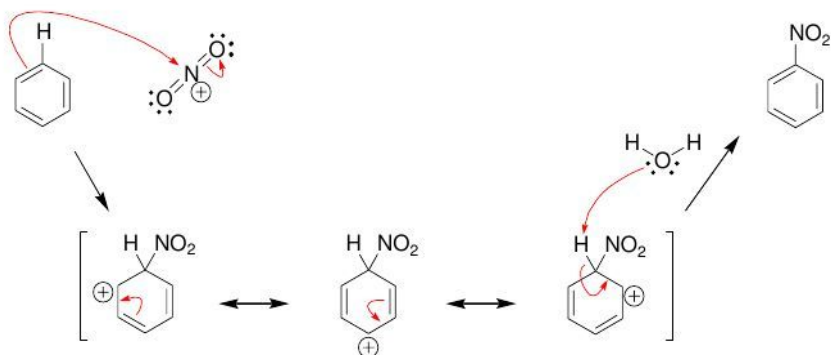
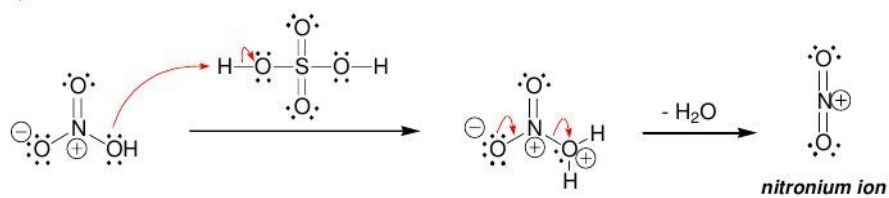
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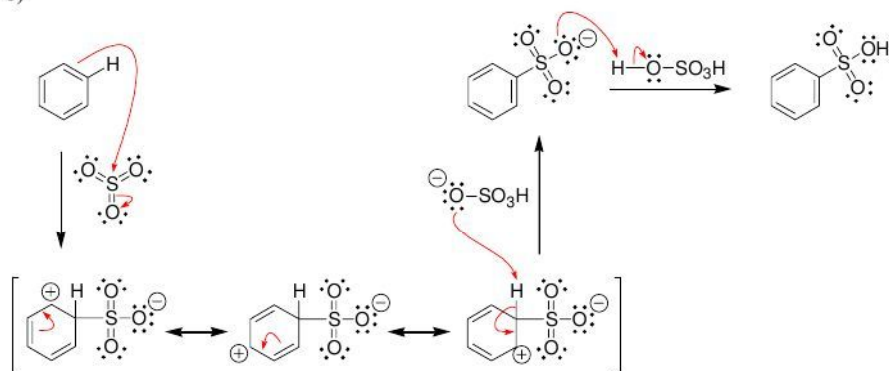
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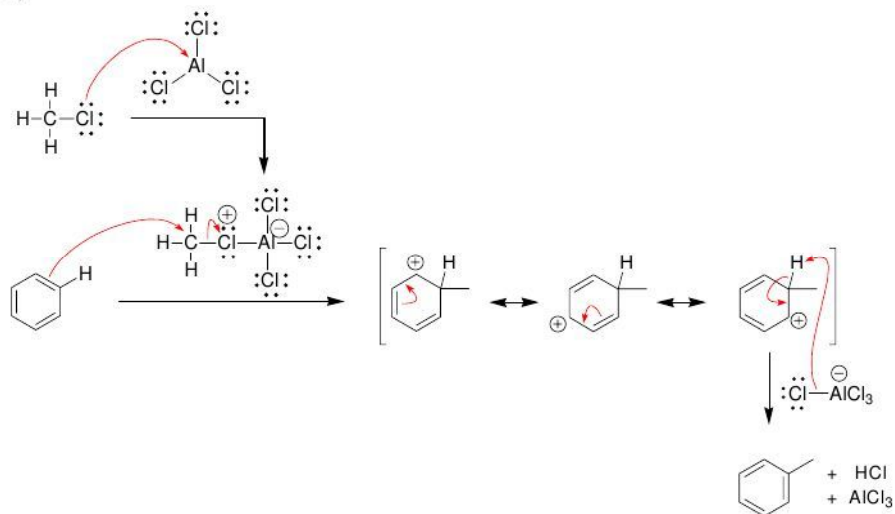
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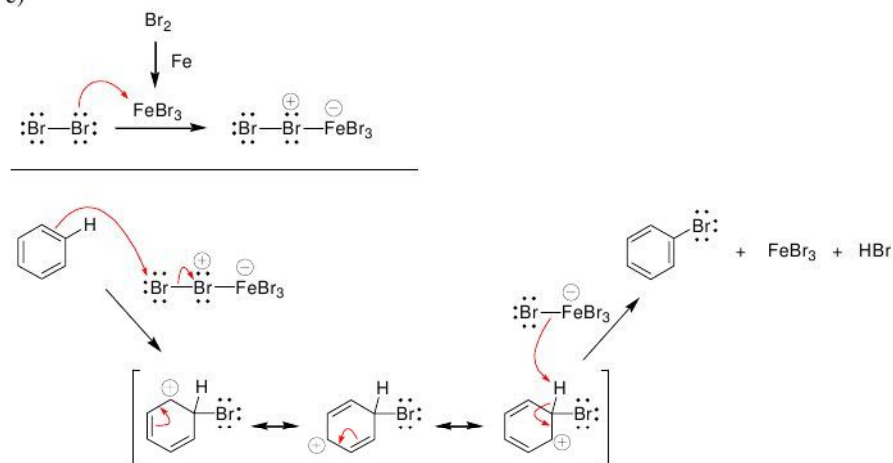
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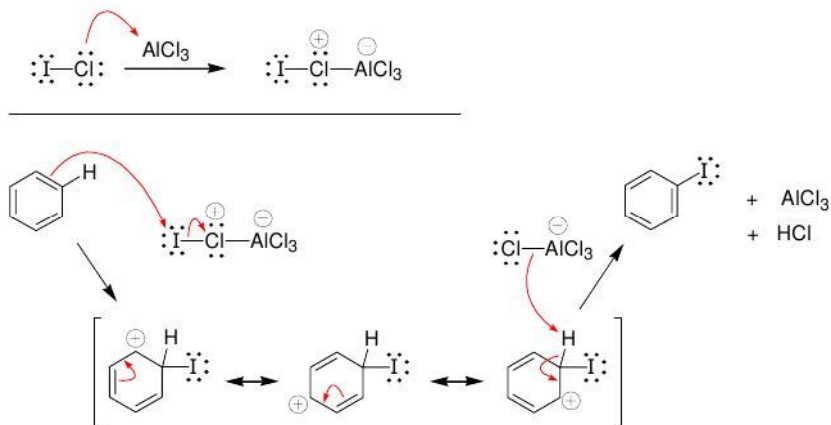


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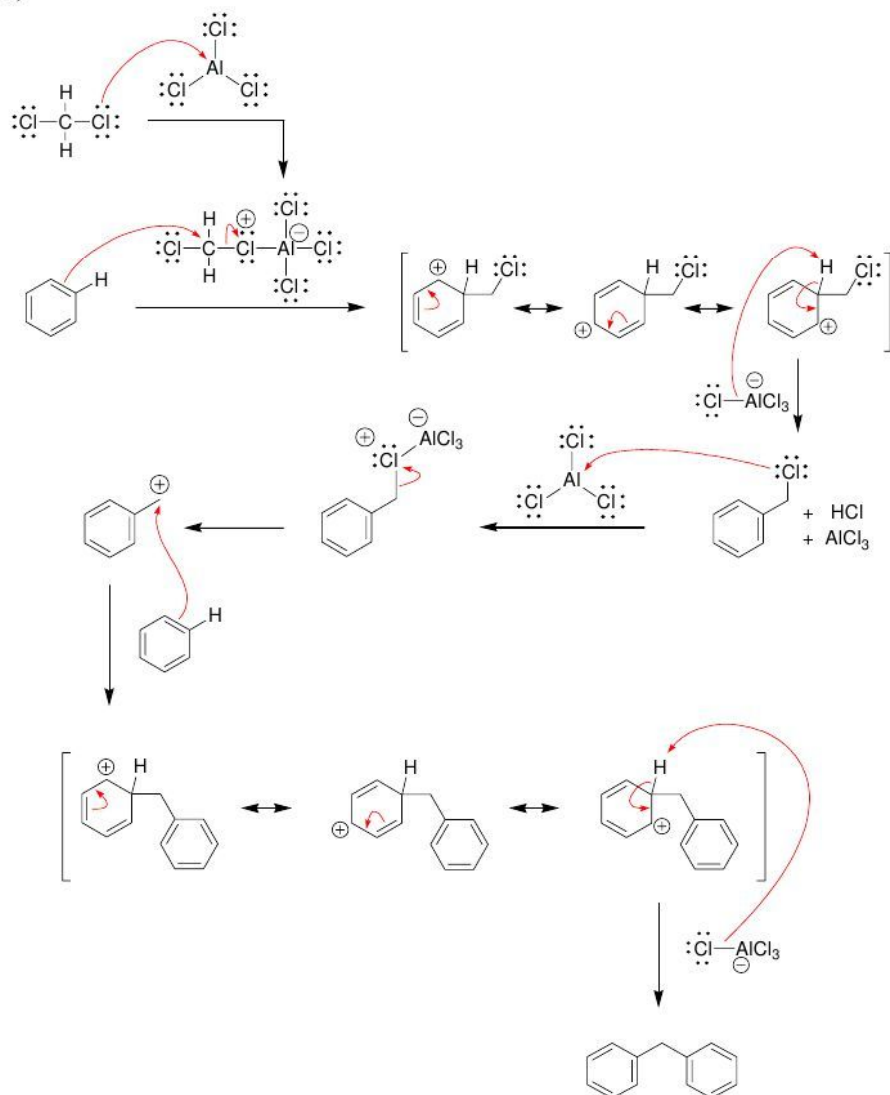
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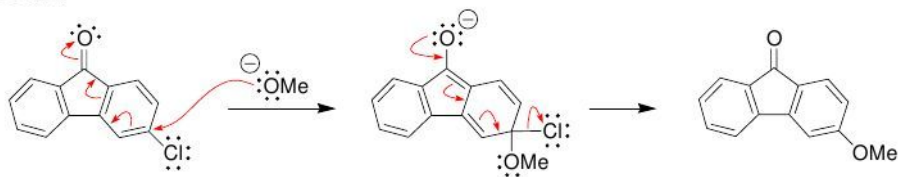




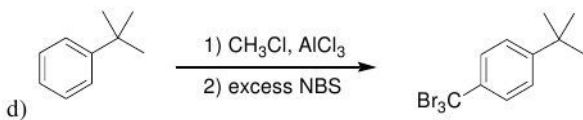
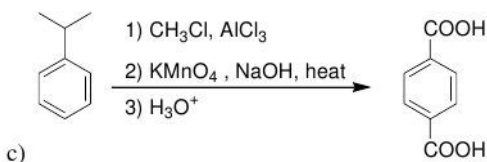
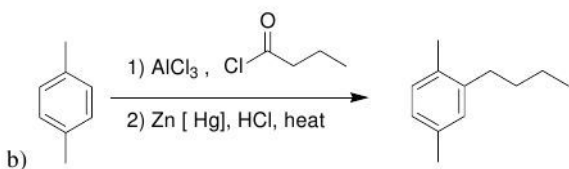
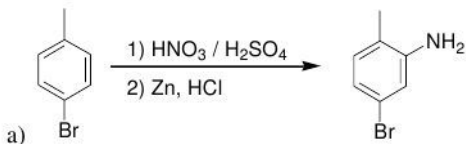
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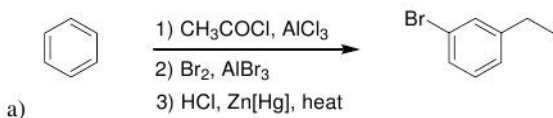
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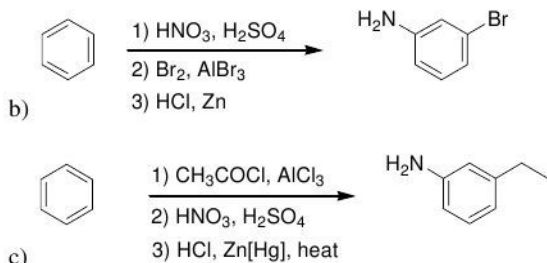


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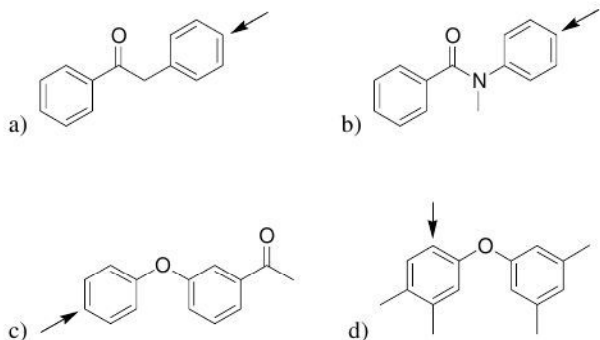


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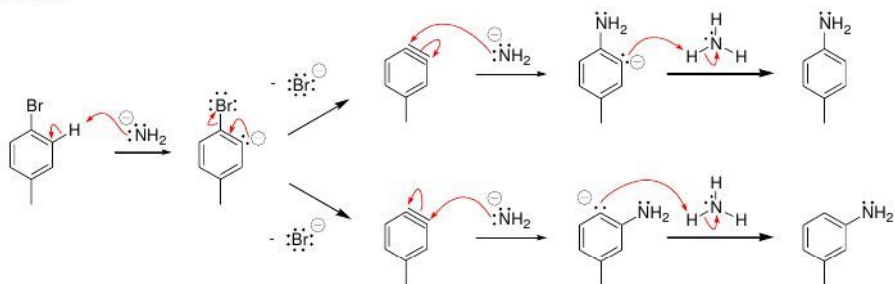


**19.58.**

- a) The second step of the synthesis will not work, because a strongly deactivated ring will not undergo a Friedel-Crafts alkylation. The product of the first step, nitrobenzene, will be unreactive in the second step.
- b) The second step of the synthesis will not efficiently install a propyl group, because a carbocation rearrangement can occur, which will result in the installation of an isopropyl group.
- c) The second step of the synthesis will not install the acyl group in the *meta* position. It will be installed in a position that is either *ortho* or *para* to the bromine atom.
- d) The second step of the synthesis will not install the bromine atom in the *ortho* position, because of steric hindrance from the *tert*-butyl group. Bromination will occur primarily at the *para* position.

**19.59.**

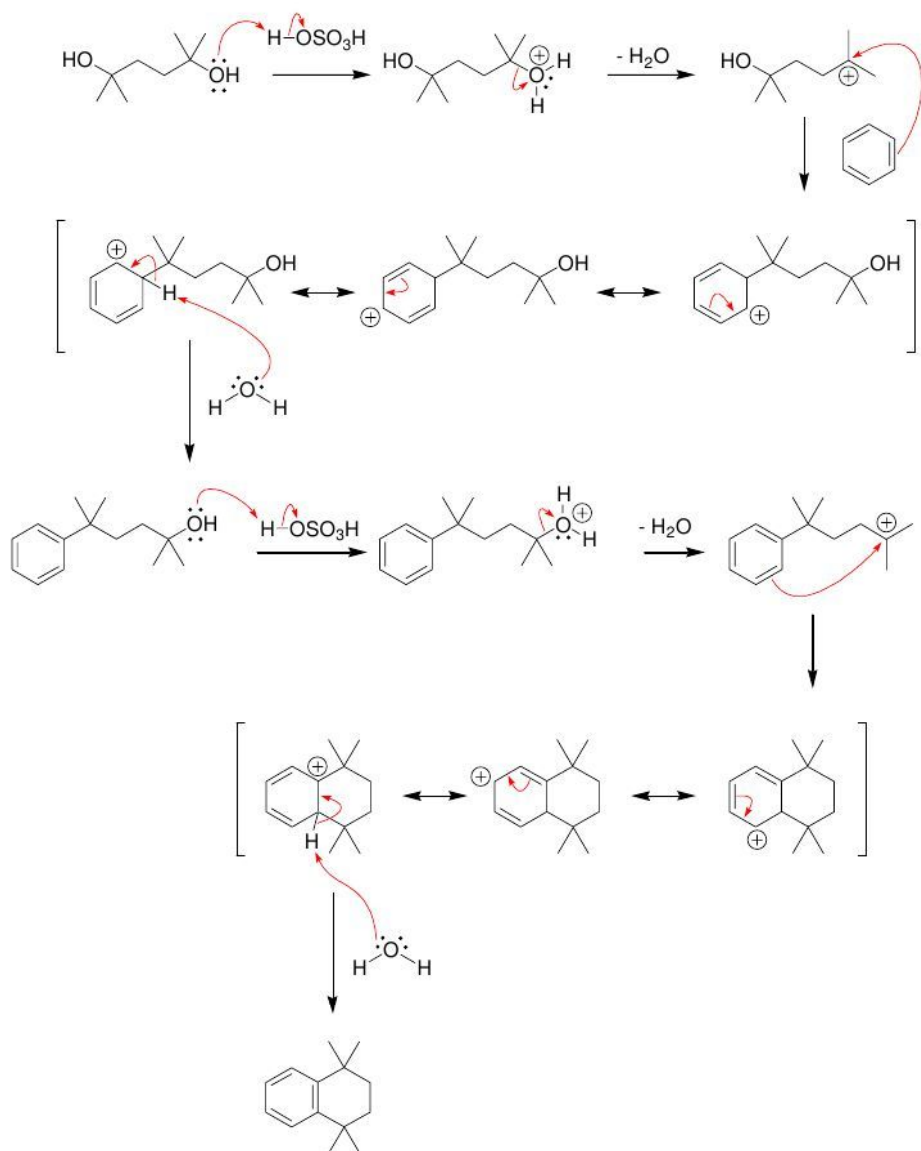
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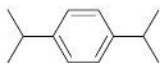
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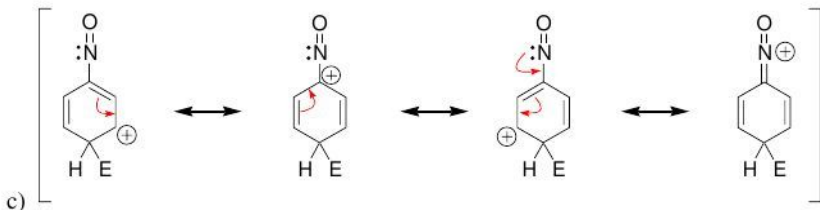
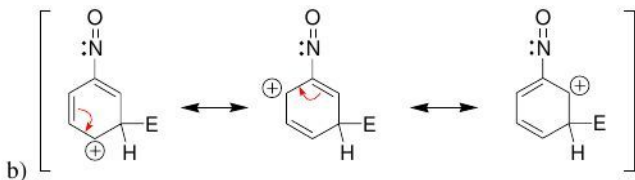
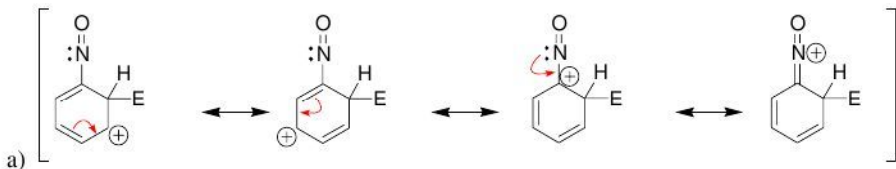
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19.63.



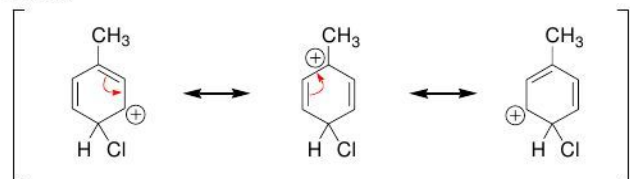
19.64.



d) The nitroso group should be *ortho-para* directing, because attack at the *ortho* or *para* position generates a sigma complex with an additional resonance structure.

e) The nitroso group is a deactivator, yet it is an *ortho-para* director, just like a chlorine atom.

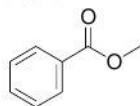
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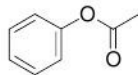
**19.66.**

a) Toluene is the only compound containing an activated ring, and it is expected to undergo a Friedel-Crafts reaction most rapidly to give *ortho*-ethyltoluene and *para*-ethyltoluene.

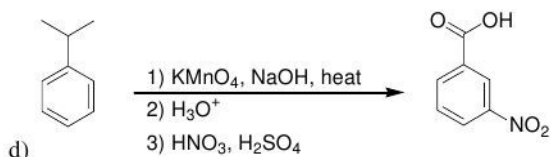
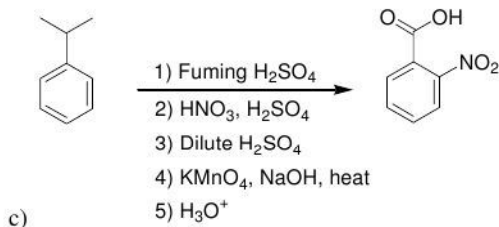
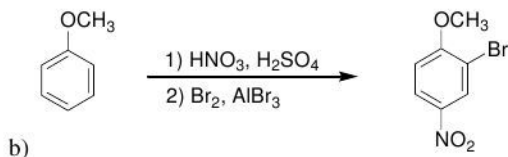
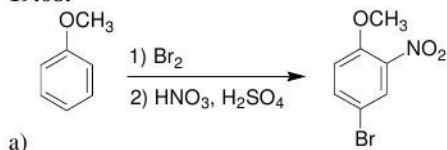
b) Anisole is the most activated compound (among the three compounds), and is expected to undergo a Friedel-Crafts reaction most rapidly to give *ortho*-ethylanisole and *para*-ethylanisole.

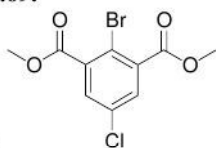
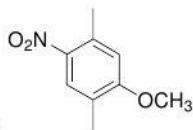
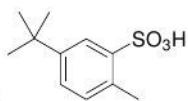
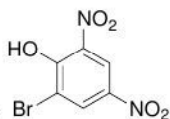
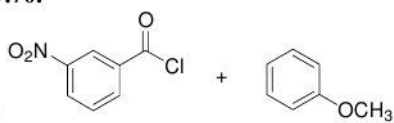
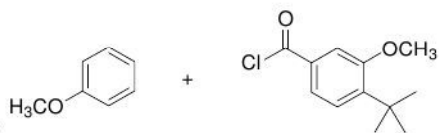
**19.67.**

Compound A



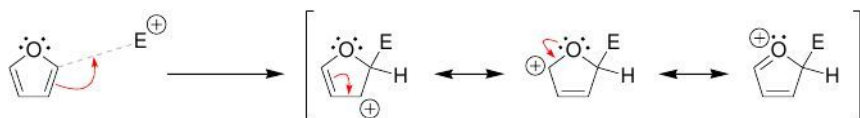
Compound B

**19.68.**

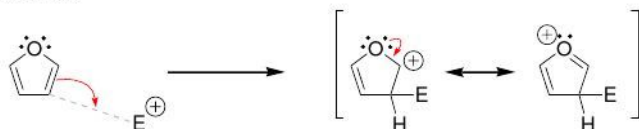
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**19.71.** Attack at the C2 position proceeds via an intermediate with three resonance structures:

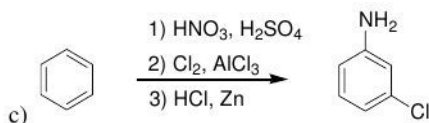
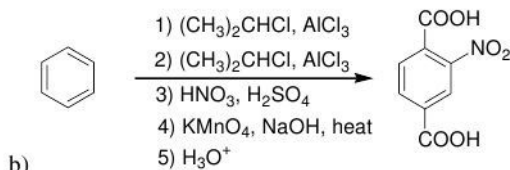
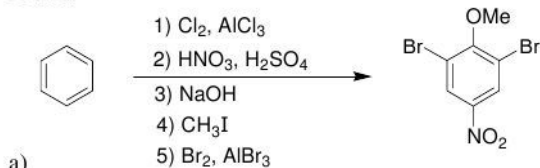



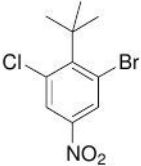

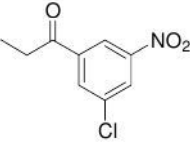

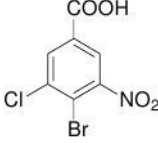

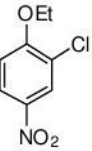

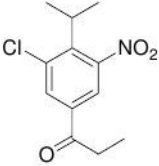

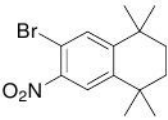
In contrast, attack at the C3 position proceeds via an intermediate with only two resonance structures:



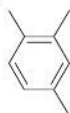
The intermediate for C2 attack is lower in energy than the intermediate for C3 attack. The transition state leading to the intermediate of C2 attack will therefore be lower in energy than the transition state leading to the intermediate of C3 attack. As a result, C2 attack occurs more rapidly.

**19.72.**



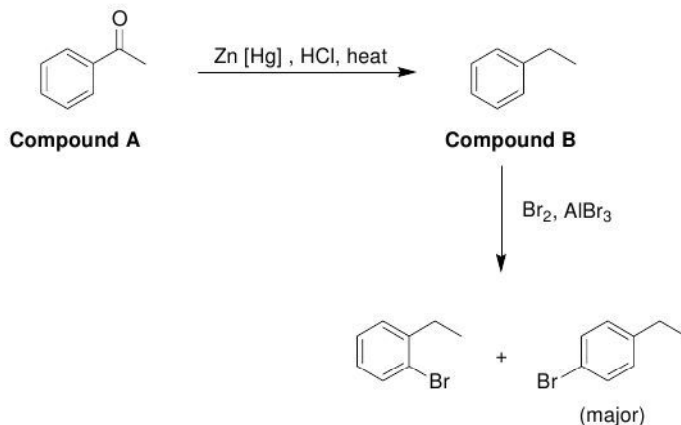
- d)   $\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 1) (\text{CH}_3)_3\text{CCl}, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 2) \text{HNO}_3, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \\ 3) \text{Br}_2, \text{AlBr}_3 \\ 4) \text{Cl}_2, \text{AlCl}_3 \end{array}}$  
- e)   $\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 1) \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COCl}, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 2) \text{HNO}_3, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \\ 3) \text{Cl}_2, \text{AlCl}_3 \end{array}}$  
- f)   $\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 1) (\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCl}, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 2) \text{Br}_2, \text{AlBr}_3 \\ 3) \text{KMnO}_4, \text{NaOH}, \text{heat} \\ 4) \text{H}_3\text{O}^+ \\ 5) \text{HNO}_3, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \\ 6) \text{Cl}_2, \text{AlCl}_3 \end{array}}$  
- g)   $\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 1) \text{Cl}_2, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 2) \text{HNO}_3, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \\ 3) \text{NaOEt}, \text{heat} \\ 4) \text{Cl}_2, \text{AlCl}_3 \end{array}}$  
- h)   $\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 1) (\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CHCl}, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 2) \text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{COCl}, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 3) \text{HNO}_3, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \\ 4) \text{Cl}_2, \text{AlCl}_3 \end{array}}$  
- i)   $\xrightarrow{\begin{array}{l} 1) \text{Cl}-\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{CH}_2\text{CH}_2\text{C}(\text{CH}_3)_2\text{Cl}, \text{AlCl}_3 \\ 2) \text{Br}_2, \text{AlBr}_3 \\ 3) \text{HNO}_3, \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 \end{array}}$  

19.73.



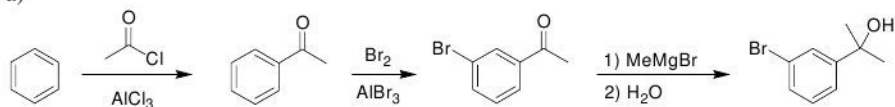
1,2,4-trimethylbenzene

**19.74.** Bromination at the para position occurs more rapidly because ortho attack is sterically hindered by the ethyl group:

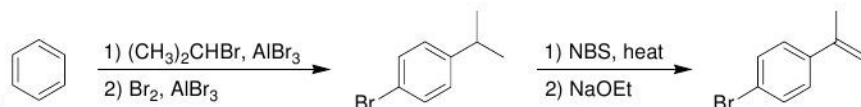


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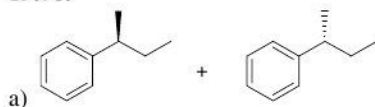
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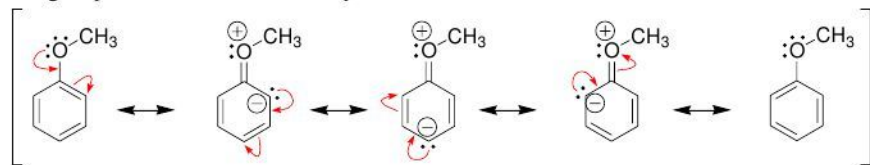
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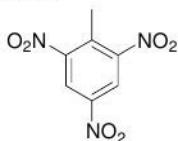
b) The reaction proceeds via a carbocation intermediate, which can be attacked from either face, leading to a racemic mixture.

**19.77.**

The OH group activates the ring toward electrophilic aromatic substitution because the OH group donates electron density via resonance.



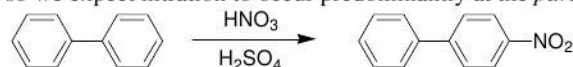
This effect gives electron density primarily to the *ortho* and *para* positions, as seen in the resonance structures above. These positions are shielded, and the protons at these positions are expected to produce signals farther upfield than protons at the *meta* position. According to this reasoning, the *meta* protons correspond with the signal at 7.2ppm.

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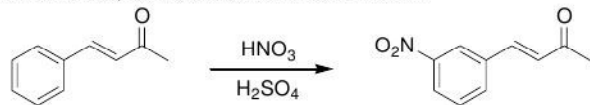
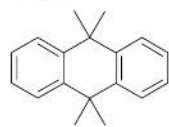
2,4,6-trinitrotoluene

**19.79.**

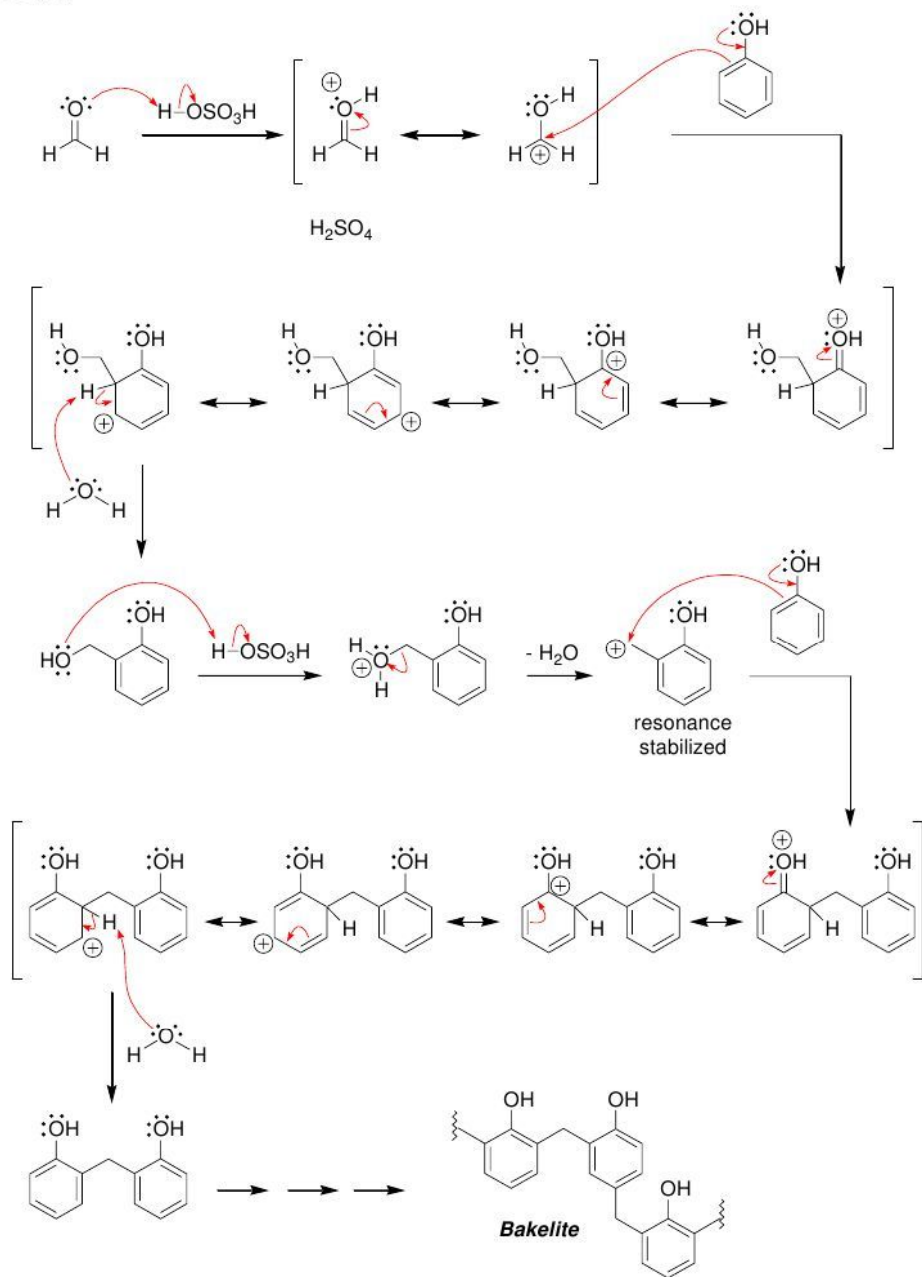
a) A phenyl group is an *ortho-para* director, because the sigma complex formed from *ortho* attack or *para* attack is highly stabilized by resonance (the positive charge is spread over both rings). The *ortho* position is sterically hindered while the *para* position is not, so we expect nitration to occur predominantly at the *para* position:



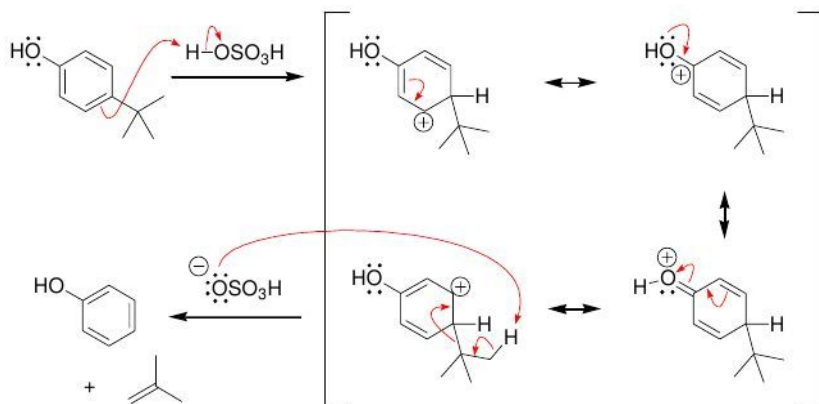
b) This group withdraws electron density from the ring via resonance (the resonance structures have a positive charge in the ring). As a result, this group is a moderate deactivator, and therefore a *meta*-director:

**19.80.**

## 19.81.



19.82.



**19.83.** The amino group in *N,N*-dimethylaniline is a strong activator, and therefore, an *ortho-para* director. For this reason, bromination occurs at the *ortho* and *para* positions. However, in acidic conditions, the amino group is protonated to give an ammonium ion. Unlike the amino group, an ammonium ion is a strong deactivator and a *meta* director. Under these conditions, nitration occurs primarily at the *meta* position.

# Chapter 20

## Ketones and Aldehydes

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 20. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- The suffix “\_\_\_\_\_” indicates an aldehydic group, and the suffix “\_\_\_\_\_” is used for ketones.
- The electrophilicity of a carbonyl group derives from \_\_\_\_\_ effects, as well as \_\_\_\_\_ effects.
- A general mechanism for nucleophilic addition under basic conditions involves two steps
  - 1) nucleophilic attack to generate a \_\_\_\_\_ **intermediate**.
  - 2) \_\_\_\_\_
- The position of equilibrium is dependent on the ability of the nucleophile to function as a \_\_\_\_\_.
- In acidic conditions, an aldehyde or ketone will react with two molecules of alcohol to form an \_\_\_\_\_.
- The reversibility of acetal formation enables acetals to function as \_\_\_\_\_ groups for ketones. Acetals are stable under strongly \_\_\_\_\_ conditions.
- In acidic conditions, an aldehyde or ketone will react with a primary amine to form an \_\_\_\_\_.
- In acidic conditions, an aldehyde or ketone will react with a secondary amine to form an \_\_\_\_\_.
- In the **Wolff-Kishner reduction**, a hydrazone is reduced to an \_\_\_\_\_ under strongly basic conditions.
- In acidic conditions, all reagents, intermediates, and leaving groups either should be \_\_\_\_\_ or should bear one \_\_\_\_\_ charge.
- \_\_\_\_\_ of acetals, imines, and enamines under acidic conditions produces ketones or aldehydes.
- In acidic conditions, an aldehyde or ketone will react with two equivalents of a thiol to form a \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with Raney nickel, thioacetals undergo **desulfurization** to yield a \_\_\_\_\_ group.
- When treated with a hydride reducing agent, such as lithium aluminum hydride (LAH) or sodium borohydride ( $\text{NaBH}_4$ ), aldehydes and ketones are reduced to \_\_\_\_\_.
- The reduction of a carbonyl group with LAH or  $\text{NaBH}_4$  is not a reversible process, because hydride does not function as a \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with a Grignard agent, aldehydes and ketones are converted into alcohols, accompanied by the formation of a new \_\_\_\_\_ bond.

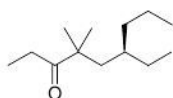
- Grignard reactions are not reversible, because carbanions do not function as \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with hydrogen cyanide (HCN), aldehydes and ketones are converted into \_\_\_\_\_. For most aldehydes and unhindered ketones, the equilibrium favors formation of the \_\_\_\_\_.
- The **Wittig reaction** can be used to convert a ketone to an \_\_\_\_\_.
- A **Baeyer-Villiger oxidation** converts a ketone to an \_\_\_\_\_ by inserting \_\_\_\_\_ next to the carbonyl group. Cyclic ketones produce cyclic esters called \_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 20. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 20.1: Naming Aldehydes and Ketones

PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND

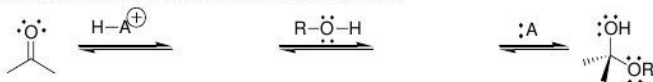


- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE
- 5) ASSIGN CONFIGURATION



### 20.2: Drawing the Mechanism of Acetal Formation

DRAW A MECHANISM FOR THE ACID-CATALYZED CONVERSION OF A KETONE TO A HEMIACETAL. MAKE SURE TO DRAW ALL CURVED ARROWS AND INTERMEDIATES.

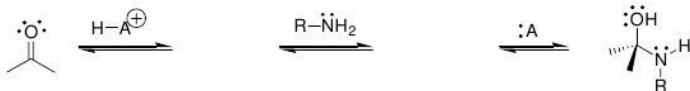


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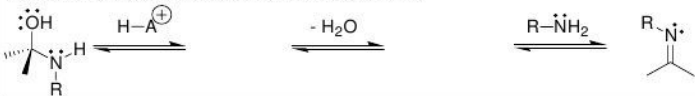


### 20.3: Drawing the Mechanism of Imine Formation

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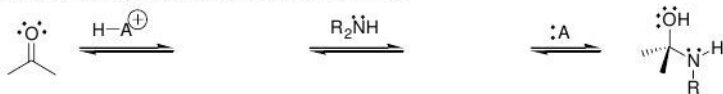
DRAW A MECHANISM FOR THE ACID-CATALYZED CONVERSION OF A CARBINOLAMINE TO AN IMINE. MAKE SURE TO DRAW ALL CURVED ARROWS AND INTERMEDIATES.



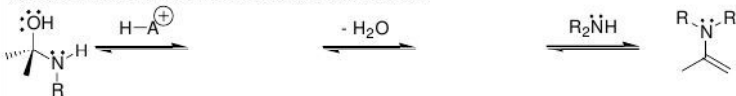


## 20.4: Drawing the Mechanism of Enamine Formation

DRAW A MECHANISM FOR THE ACID-CATALYZED CONVERSION OF A KETONE TO A CARBINOLAMINE. MAKE SURE TO DRAW ALL CURVED ARROWS AND INTERMEDIATES.



DRAW A MECHANISM FOR THE ACID-CATALYZED CONVERSION OF A CARBINOLAMINE TO AN ENAMINE. MAKE SURE TO DRAW ALL CURVED ARROWS AND INTERMEDIATES.



## 20.5: Drawing the Mechanism of a Hydrolysis Reaction

STEP 1 - WORKING BACKWARDS,  
DRAW ALL \_\_\_\_\_.

STEP 2 - DRAW ALL \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_,  
USING THE FOLLOWING RULES:

IN ACIDIC CONDITIONS, ALL REAGENTS, \_\_\_\_\_, AND  
\_\_\_\_\_ SHOULD EITHER BE NEUTRAL OR SHOULD BEAR ONE  
POSITIVE CHARGE.

## 20.6: Planning an Alkene Synthesis with a Wittig Reaction

IDENTIFY THE REACTANTS YOU WOULD USE TO PREPARE THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND VIA A WITTIG REACTION:



## 20.7: Proposing a Synthesis

BEGIN BY ASKING THE FOLLOWING  
TWO QUESTIONS:

1) IS THERE A CHANGE IN THE  
\_\_\_\_\_?

2) IS THERE A CHANGE IN THE  
\_\_\_\_\_?

IF THERE IS A CHANGE IN THE CARBON SKELETON, CONSIDER ALL OF THE C-C  
BOND FORMING REACTIONS AND ALL OF THE C-C BOND BREAKING REACTIONS  
THAT YOU HAVE LEARNED SO FAR.

C-C BOND-FORMING REACTIONS IN THIS CHAPTER:

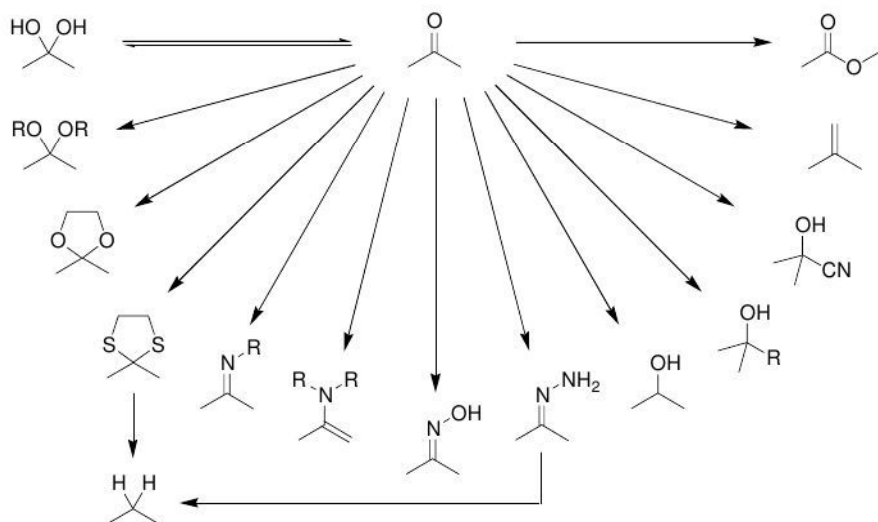
- \_\_\_\_\_  
- \_\_\_\_\_

C-C BOND-BREAKING REACTIONS IN THIS CHAPTER:

- \_\_\_\_\_  
- \_\_\_\_\_

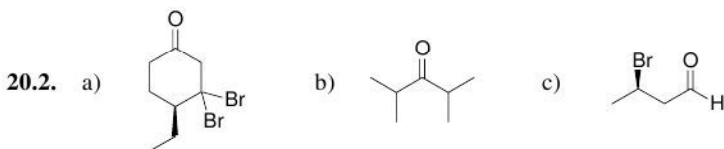
## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 20. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.



## Solutions

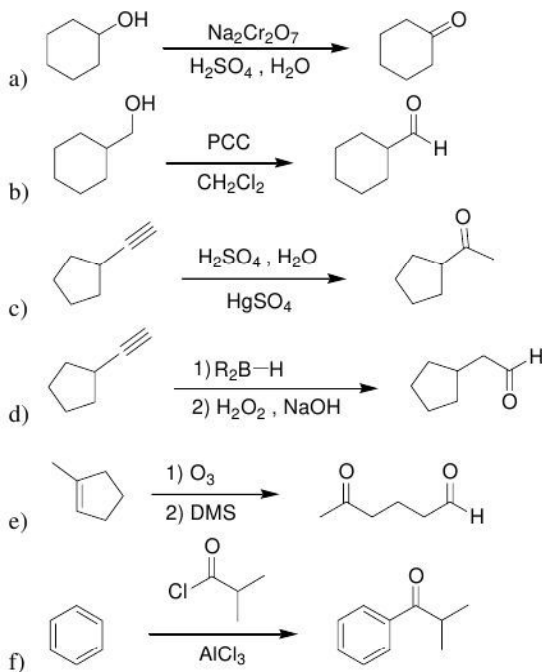
- 20.1. a) 5,5-dibromo-2,2-dimethylhexanal  
 b) (3*R*,4*S*)-3,4,5-trimethyl-2-hexanone  
 c) 2,2,5,5-tetramethylcyclopentanone  
 d) 2-propylpentanal  
 e) cyclobutanecarbaldehyde



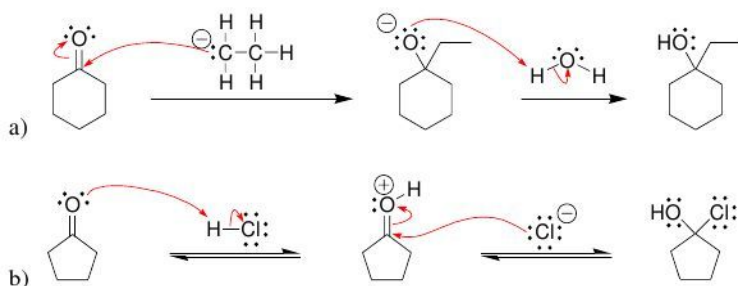
- 20.3. (1*S*,4*R*)bicyclo[2.2.1]heptan-2-one

- 20.4. a) 1,3-cyclohexanedione      b) 1,4-cyclohexanedione      c) 2,5,8-nonanetrione

## 20.5.



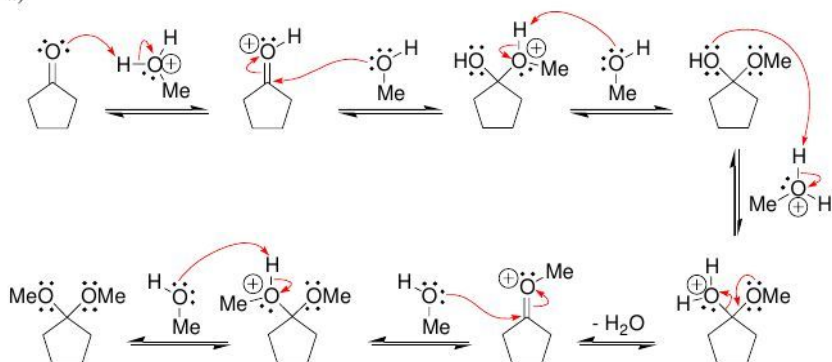
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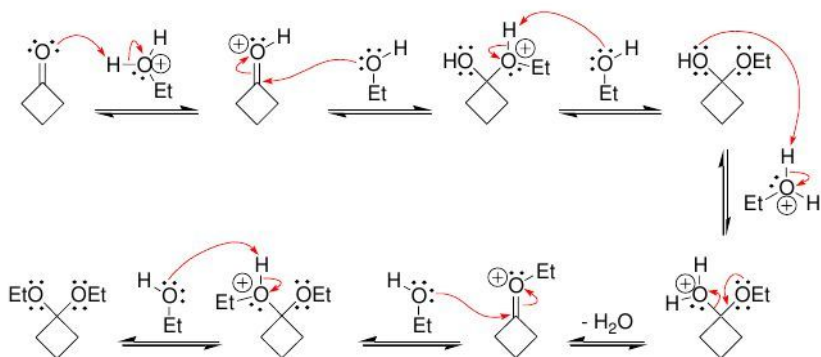
20.7. The carbonyl group in hexafluoroacetone is flanked by two very powerful electron-withdrawing groups ( $\text{CF}_3$ ). These groups withdraw electron density from the carbonyl group, thereby increasing the electrophilicity of the carbonyl group. The resulting increase in energy of the reactant causes the equilibrium to favor the product (the hydrate).

**20.8.**

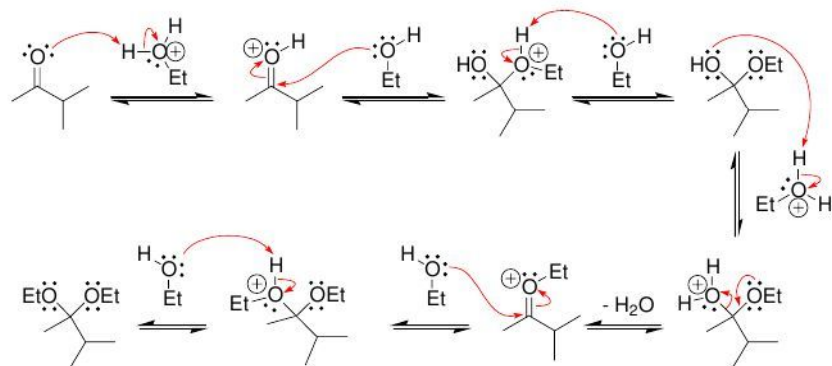
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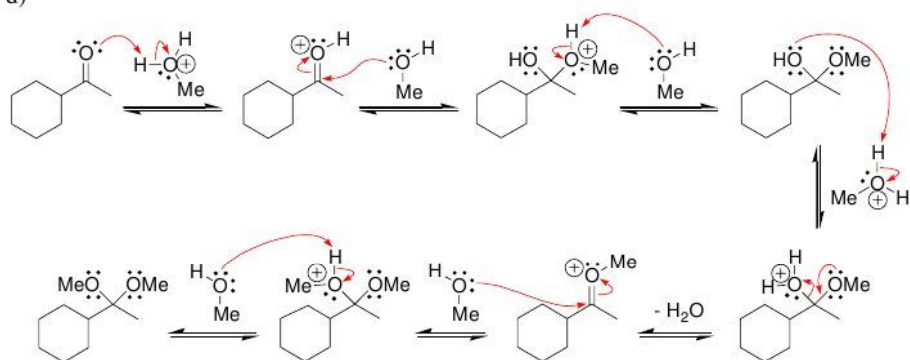
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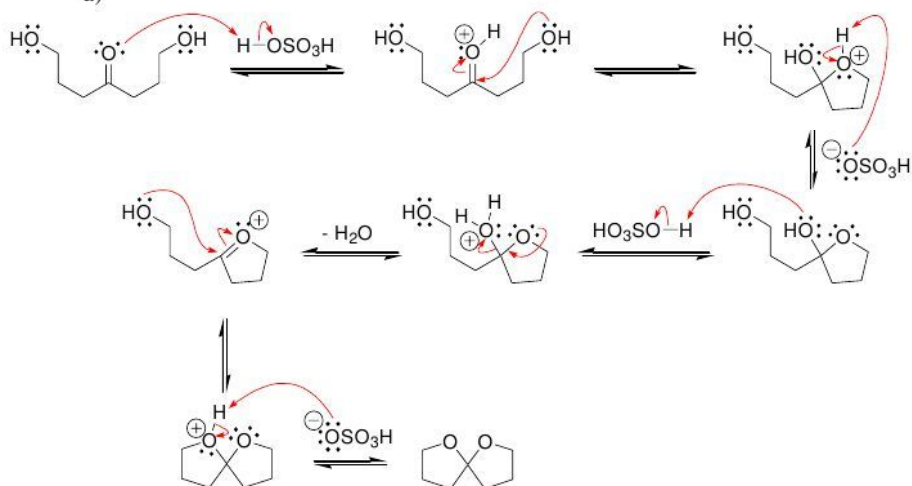


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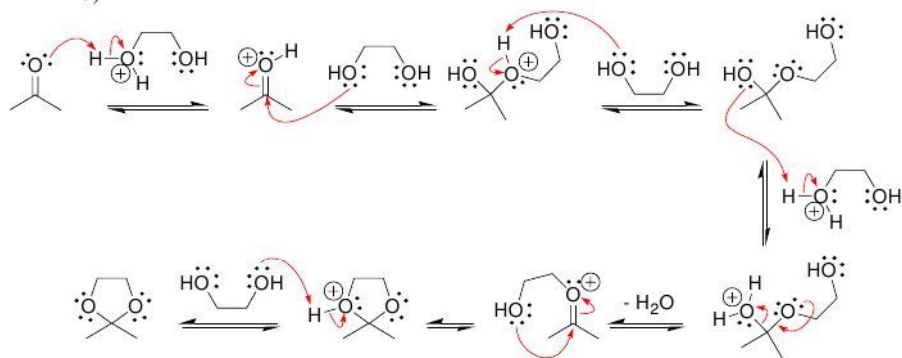


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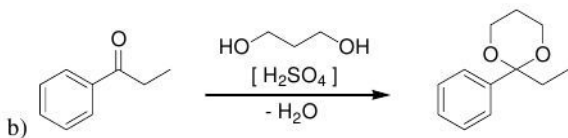
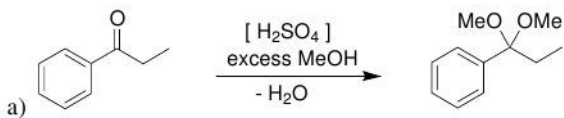
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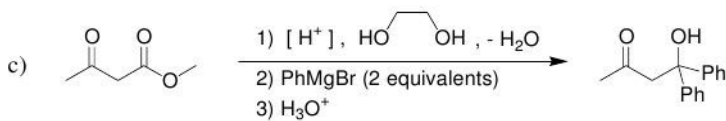
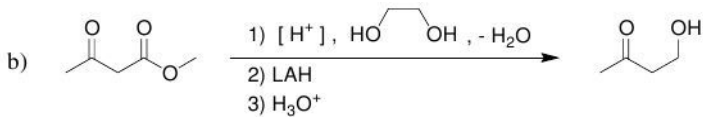
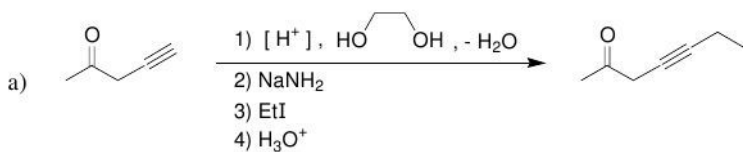
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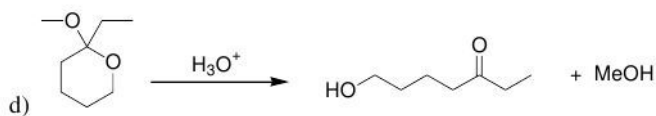
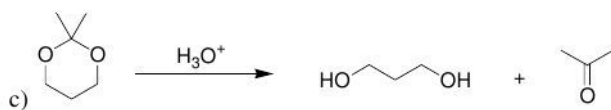
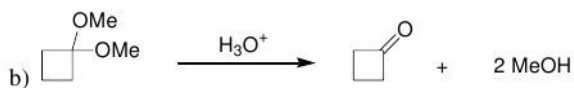
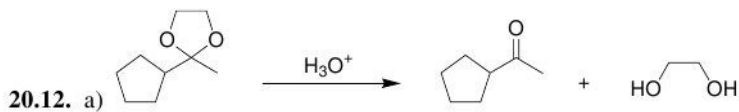


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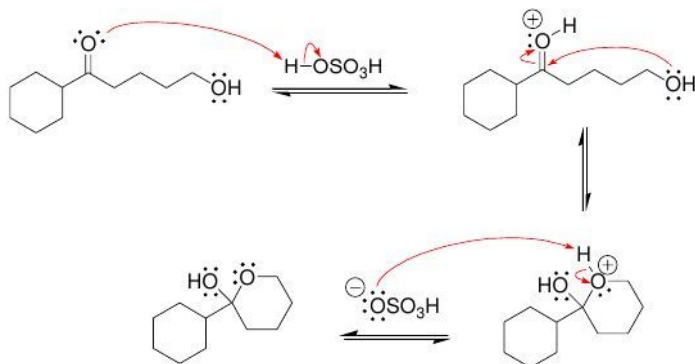


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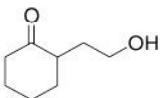




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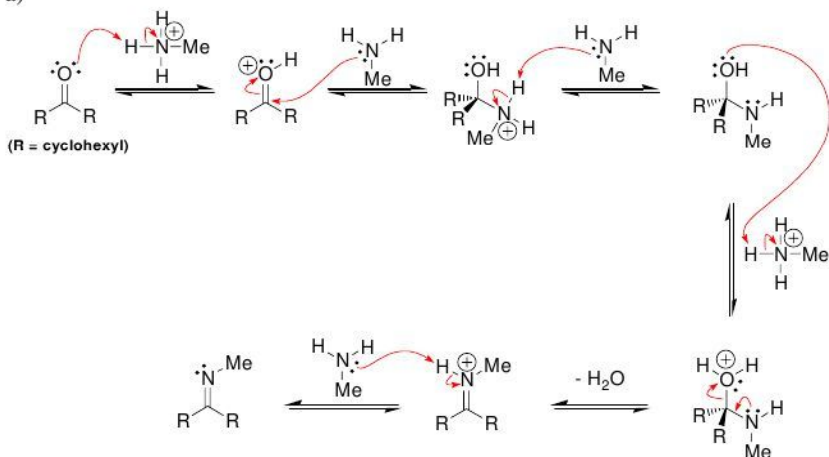


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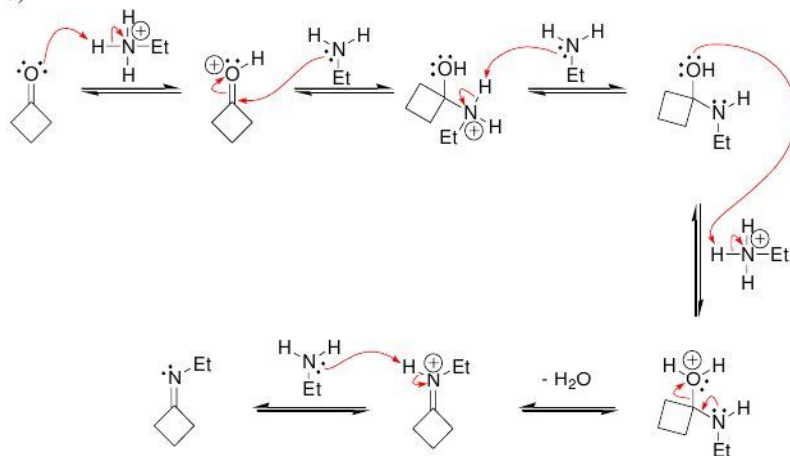


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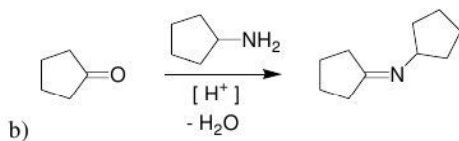
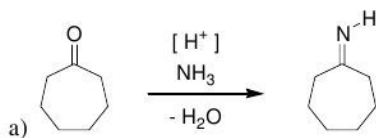


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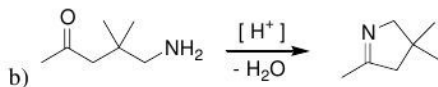
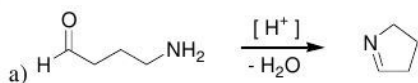




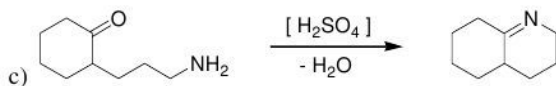
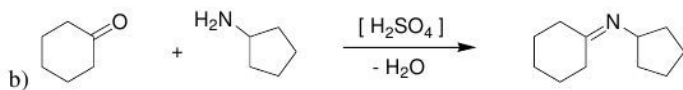
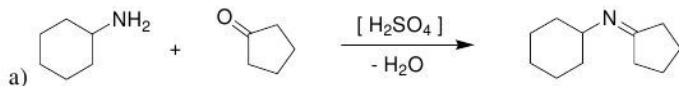
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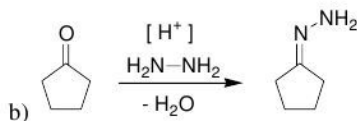
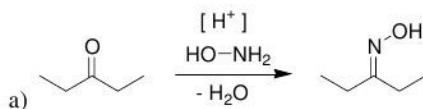
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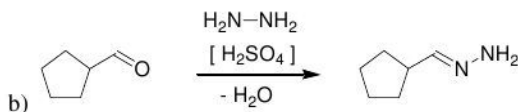
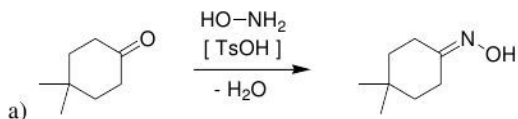
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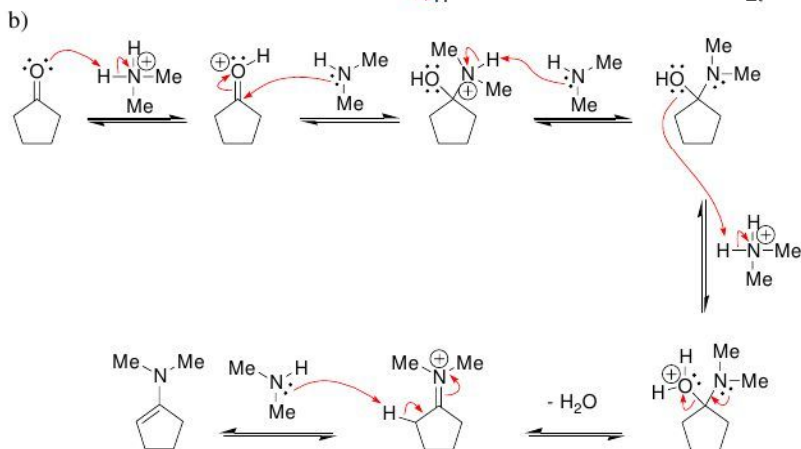
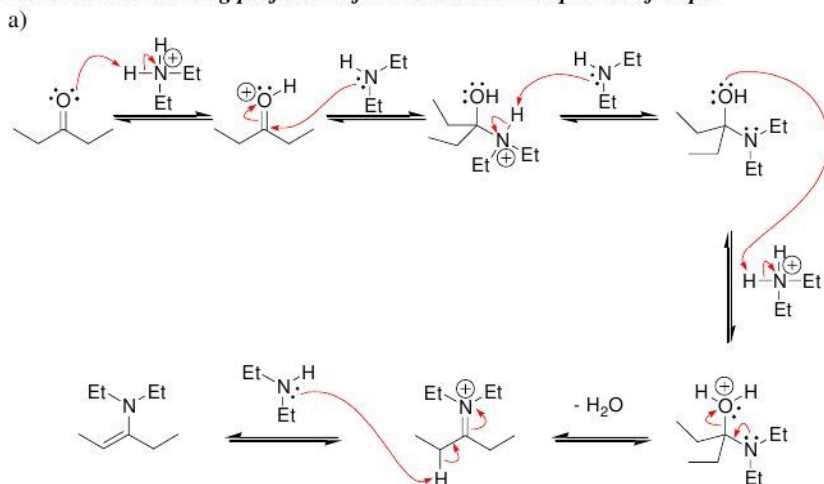
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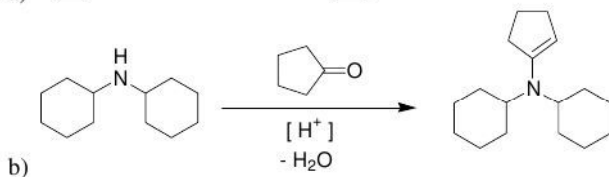
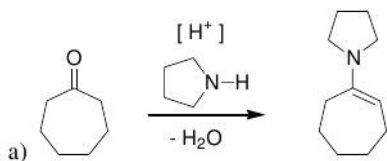
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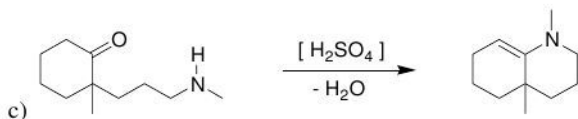
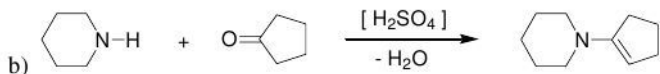
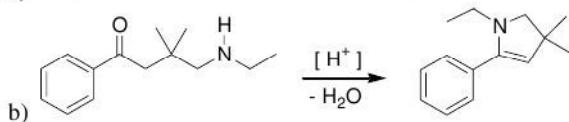
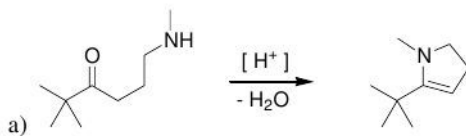
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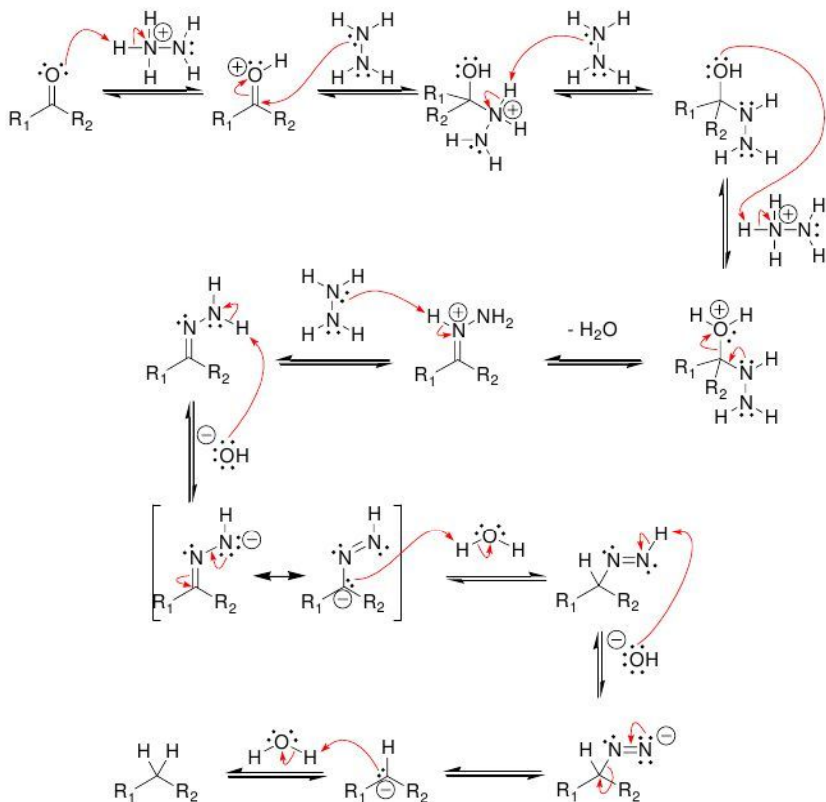
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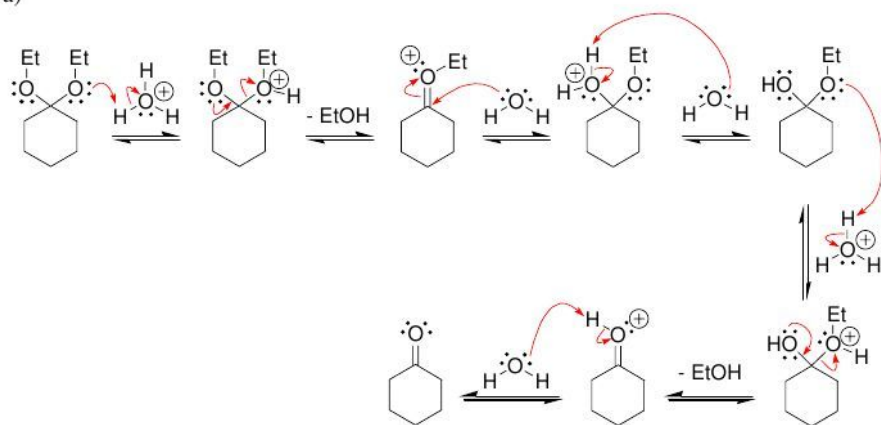


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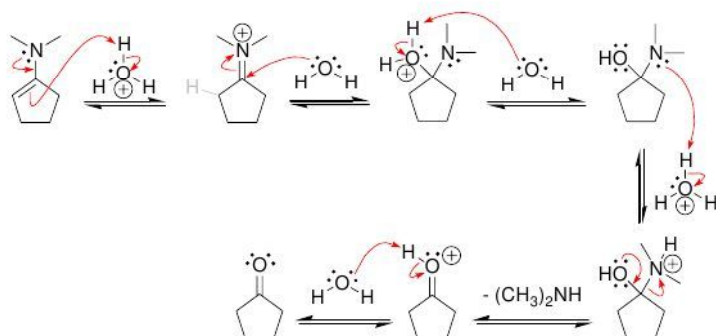


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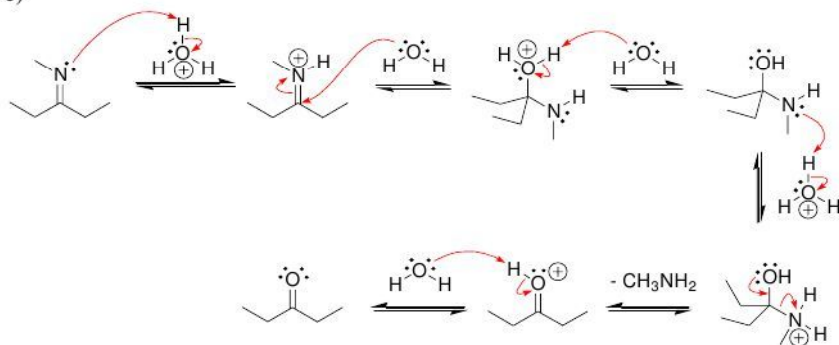
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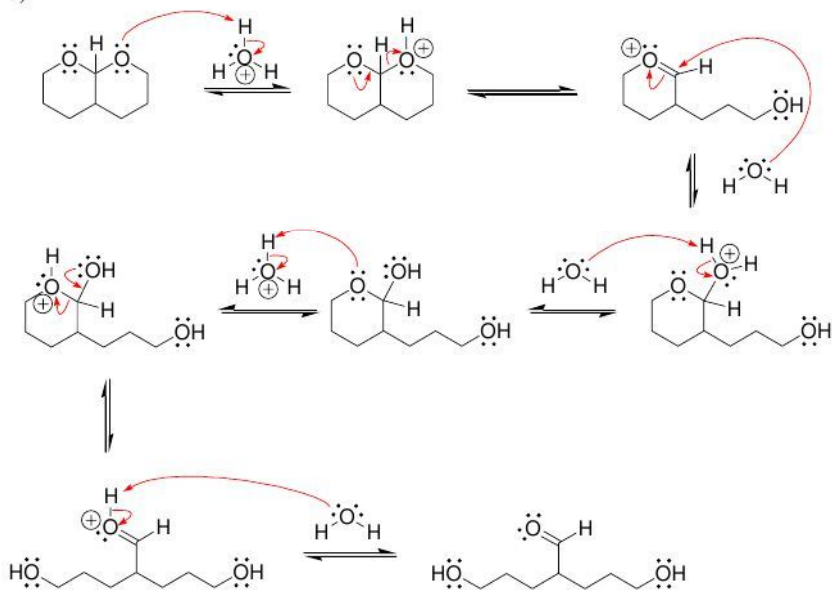
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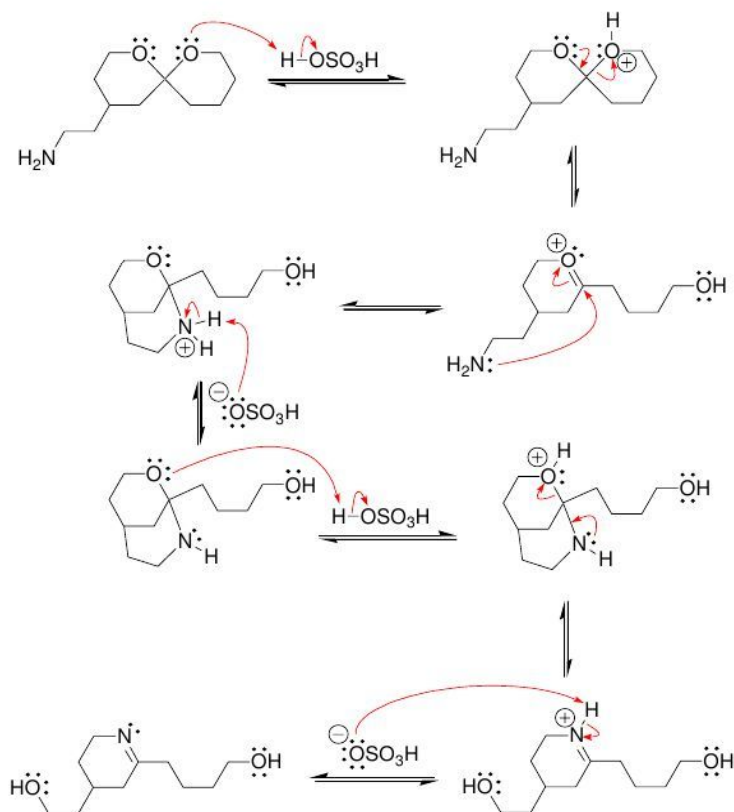
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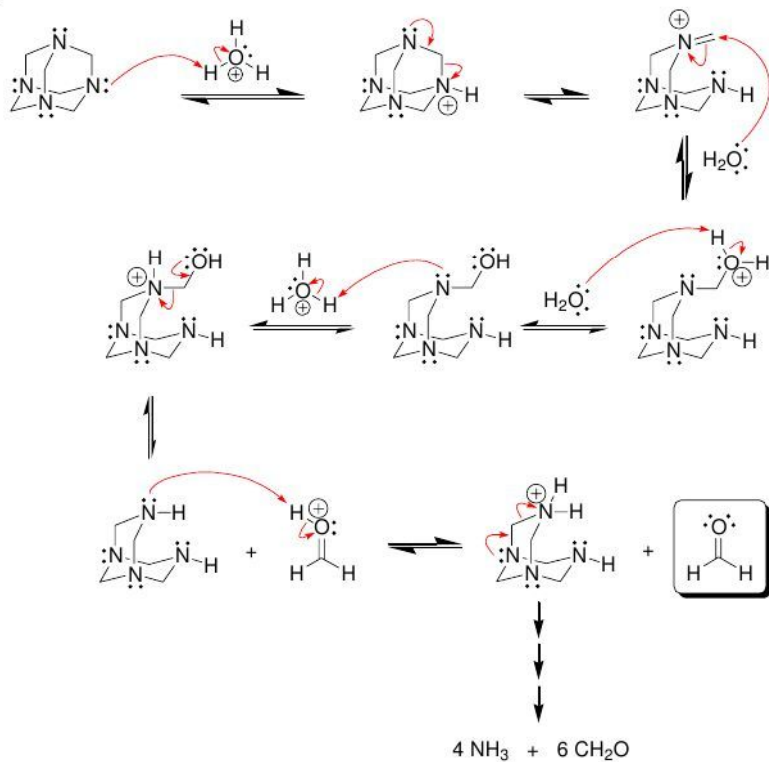
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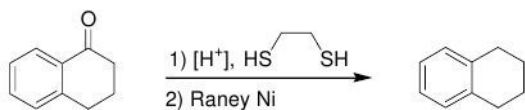
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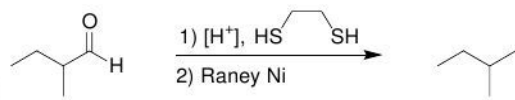
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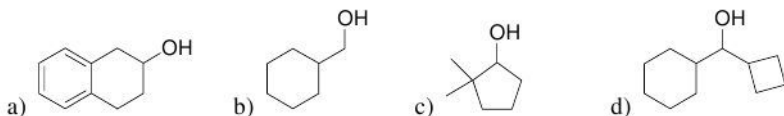


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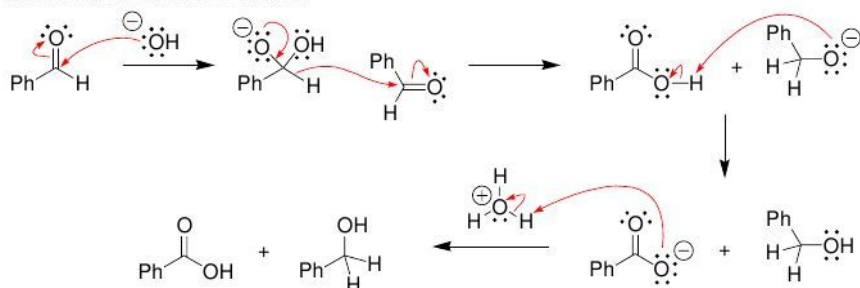


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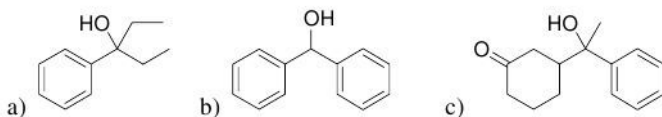
a) Below is a mechanism for the Cannizzaro reaction. After a hydroxide ion attacks one molecule of benzaldehyde, the resulting tetrahedral intermediate functions as a hydride delivery agent to attack another molecule of benzaldehyde, giving a carboxylic acid and an alkoxide ion. The alkoxide ion then deprotonates the carboxylic acid, generating a more stable carboxylate ion. This carboxylate ion is then protonated when an acid is added to the reaction mixture.



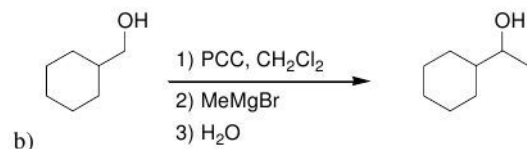
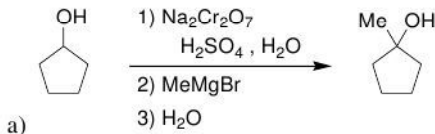
b) The function of  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$  in the second step is to serve as a proton source to protonate the resulting carboxylate ion.

c) Water is only a weak acid ( $\text{p}K_{\text{a}} = 15.74$ ), and is not sufficiently strong to serve as a proton source for a carboxylate ion ( $\text{p}K_{\text{a}}$  of  $\text{PhCOOH}$  is 4.21). See section 3.5 for a discussion of this topic.

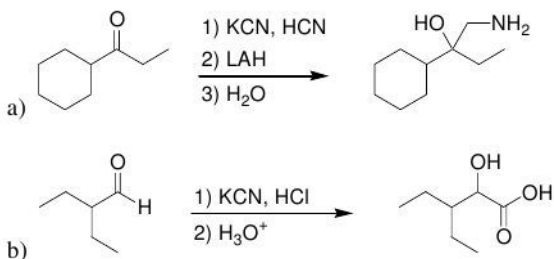
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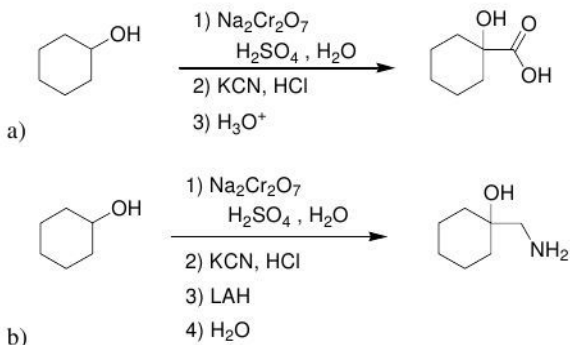
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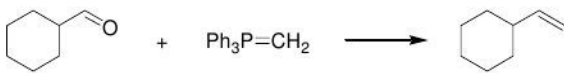
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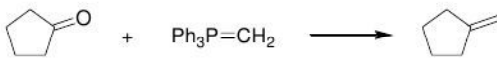
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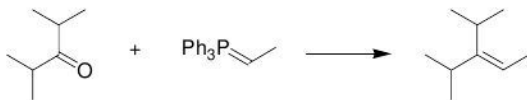
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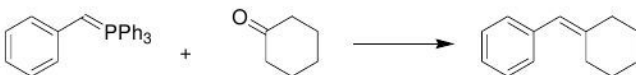
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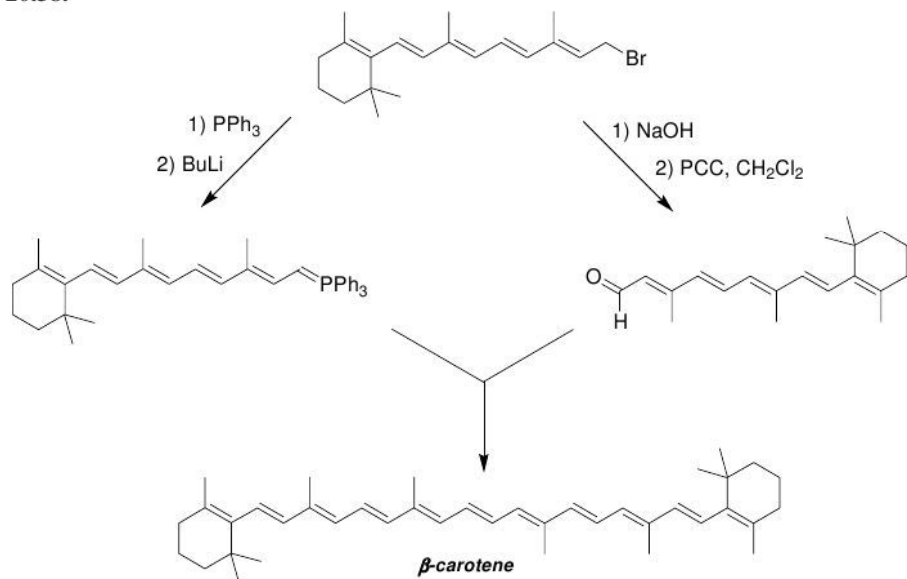
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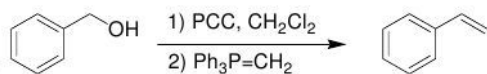
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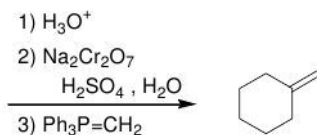
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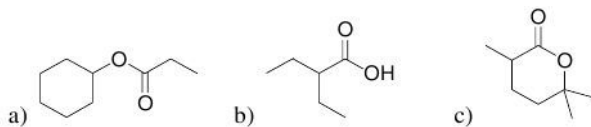
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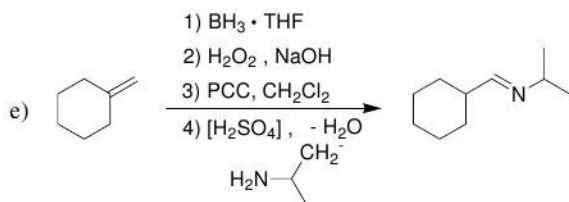
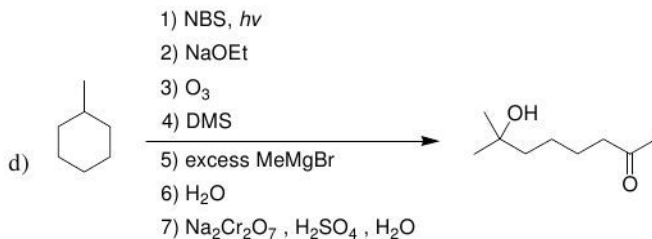
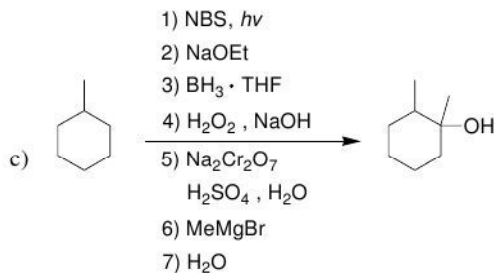
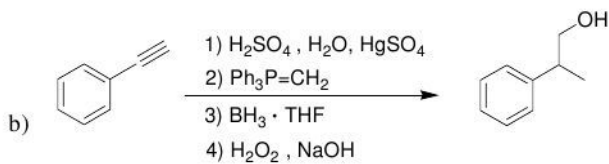
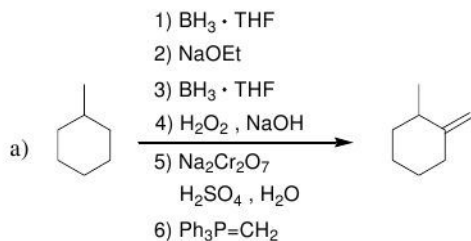
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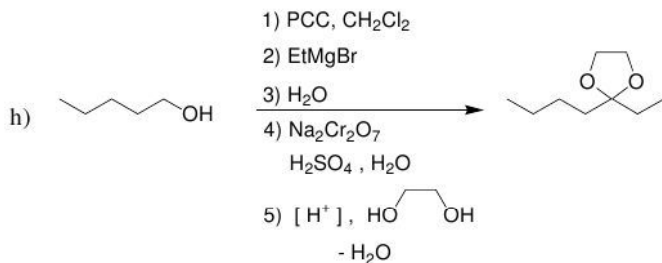
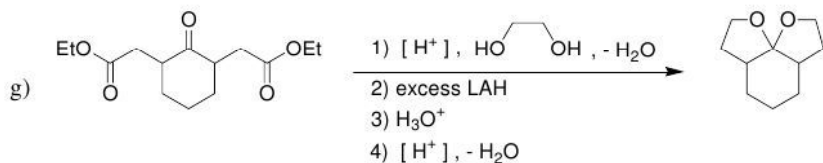
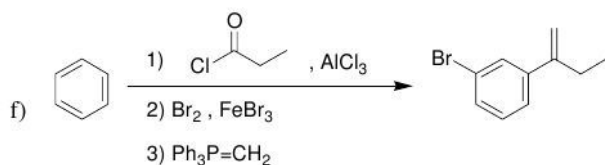


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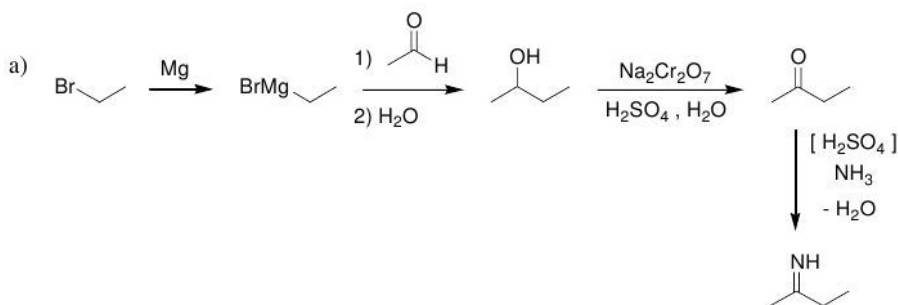


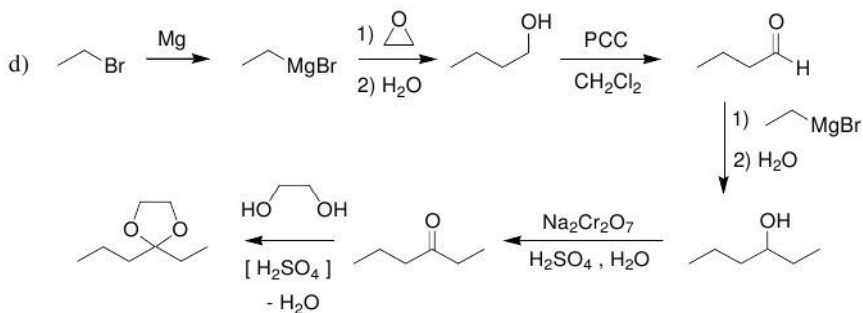
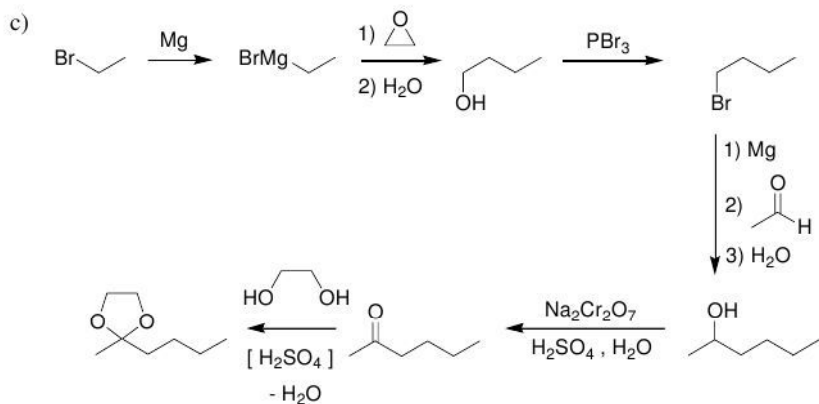
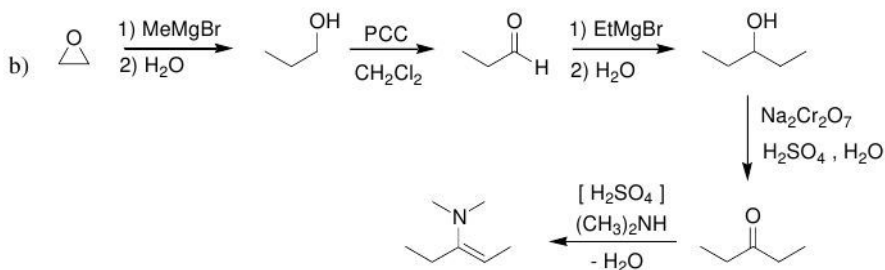
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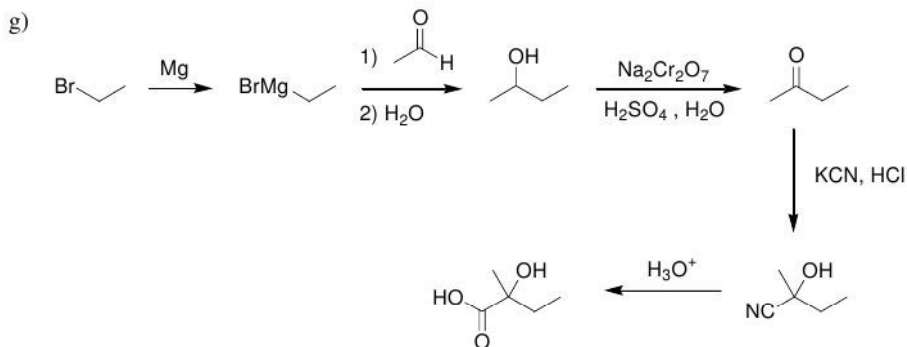
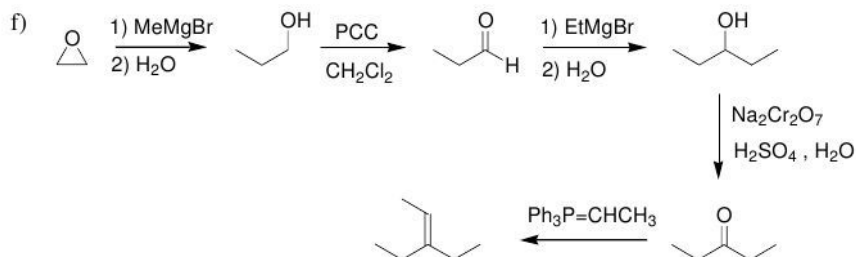
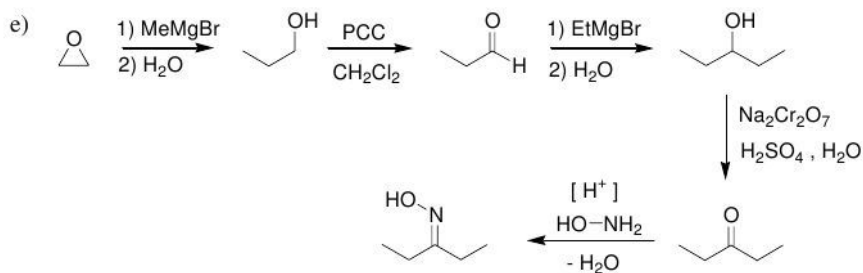




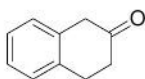
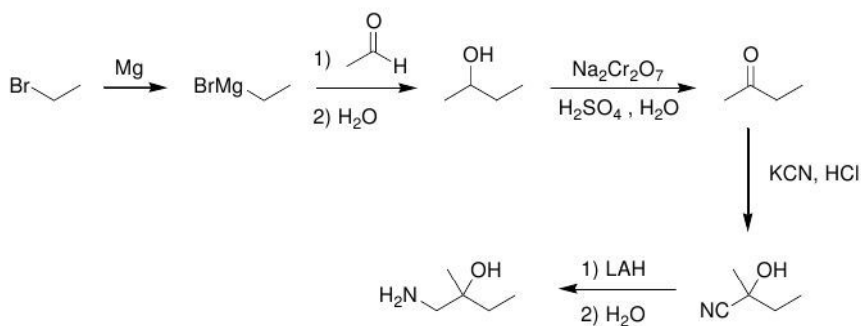
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h)



20.43. (because this carbonyl group is not conjugated)

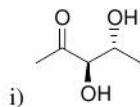
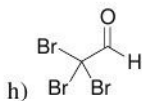
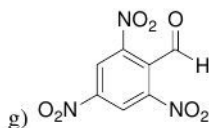
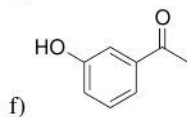
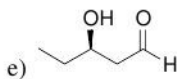
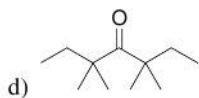
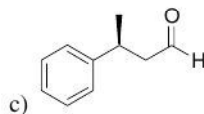
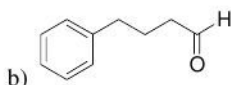
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b) cyclohexanecarbaldehyde

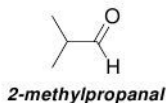
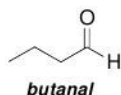
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d) (*S*)-4-methyl-3-hexanone

20.45. a)

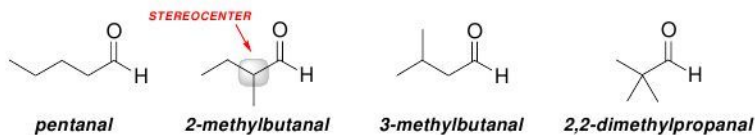


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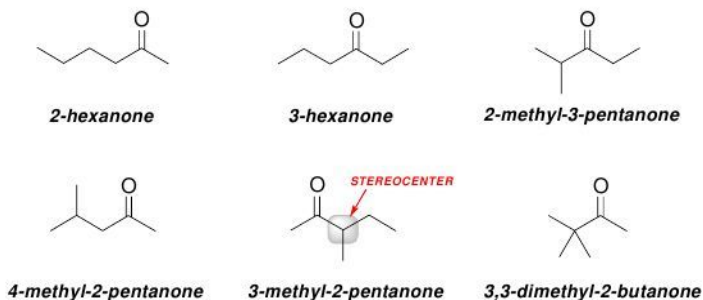




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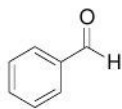


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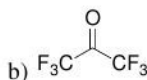


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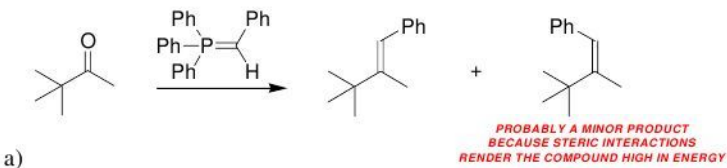
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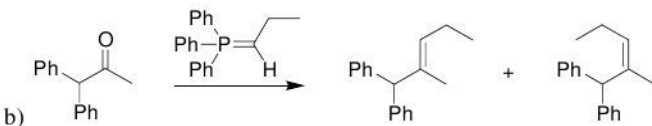
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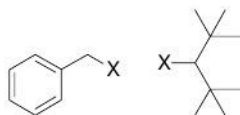
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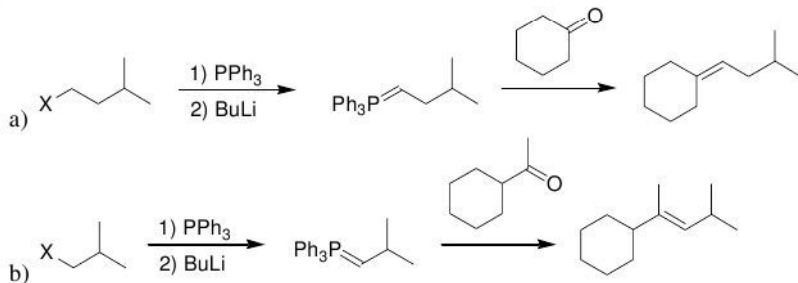


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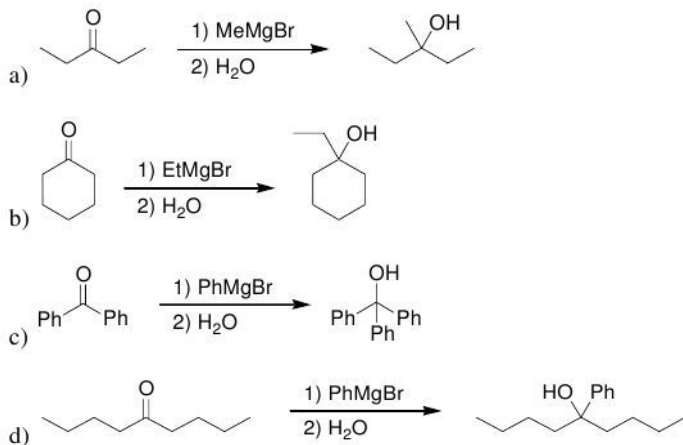


The latter alkyl halide above will be more difficult to convert into a Wittig reagent, because it is too sterically hindered to undergo  $S_N2$  attack.

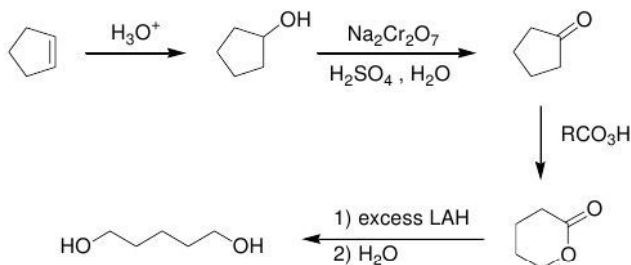
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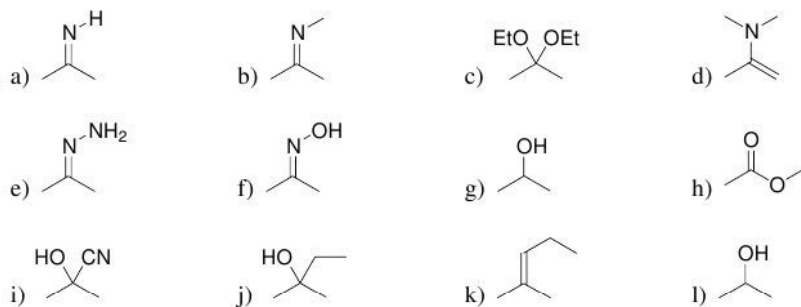
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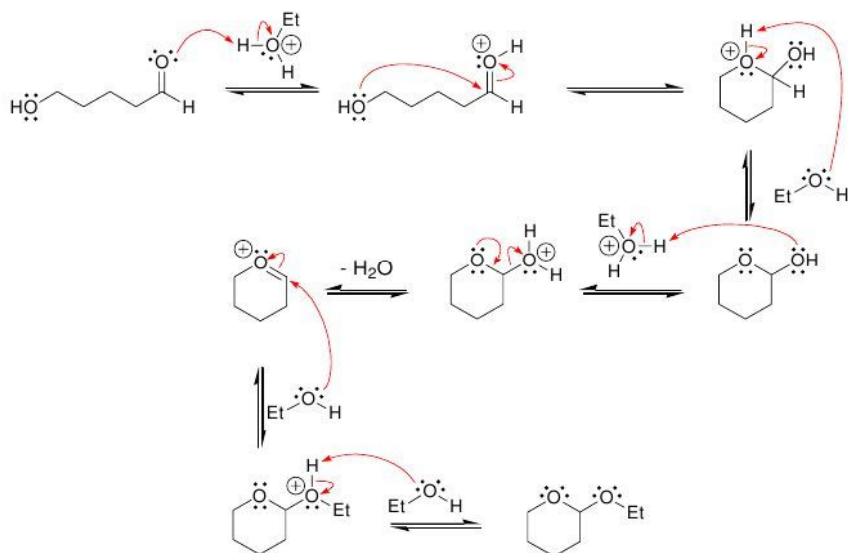
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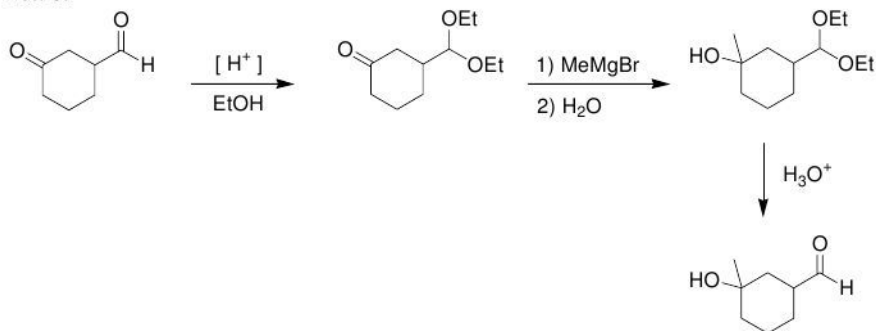
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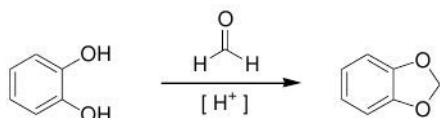
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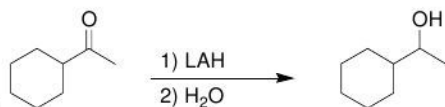
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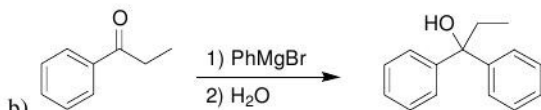
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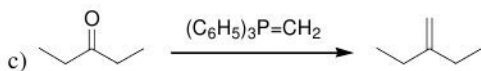
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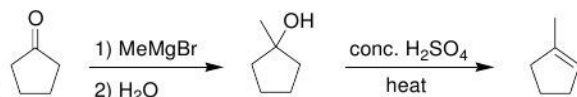
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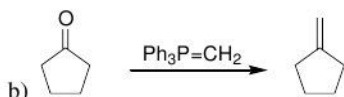
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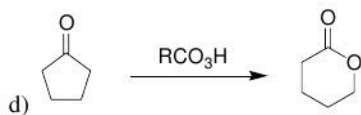
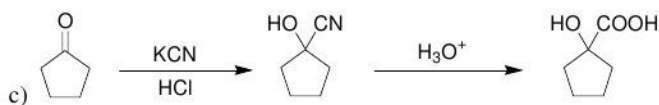


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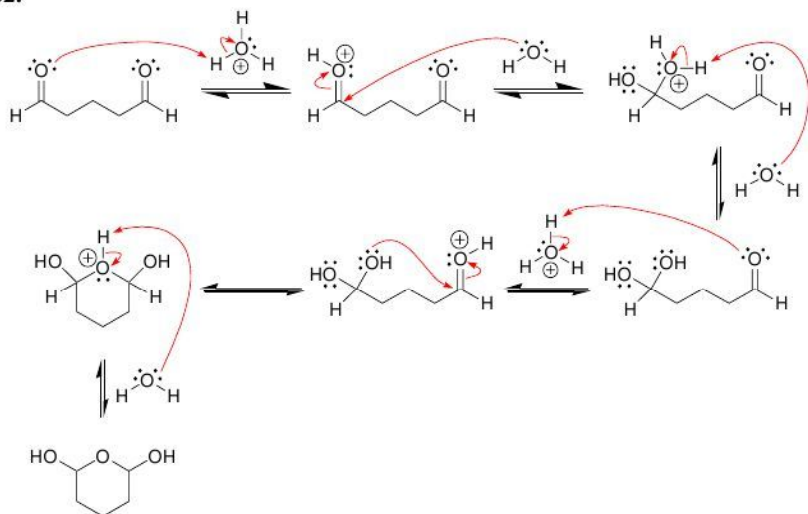


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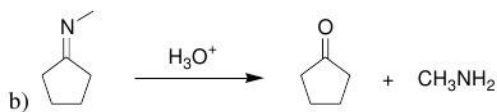
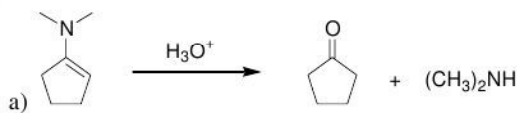


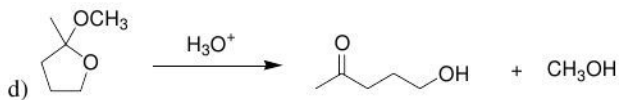
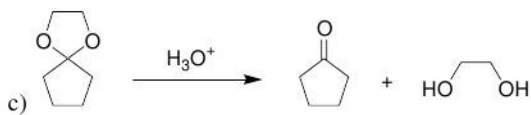


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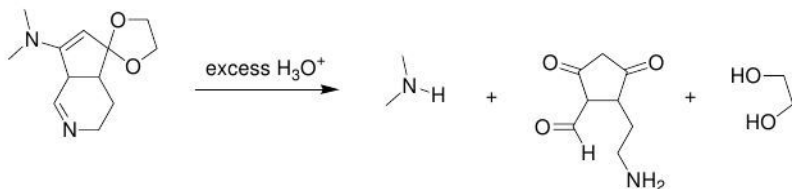


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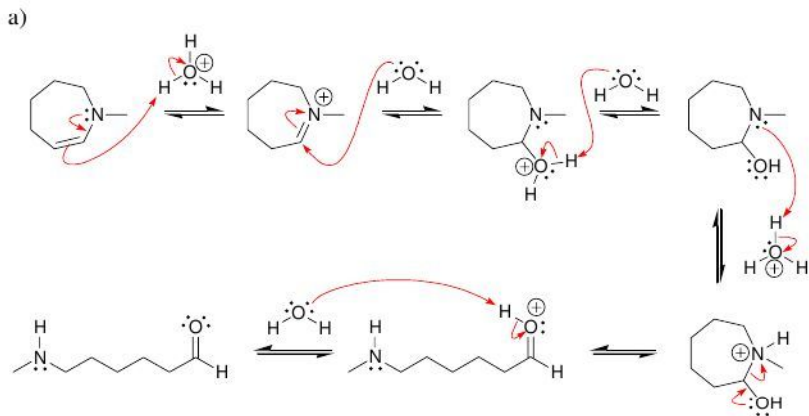




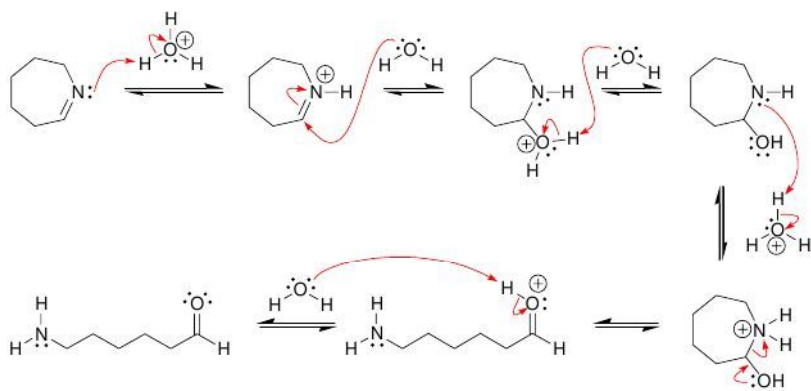
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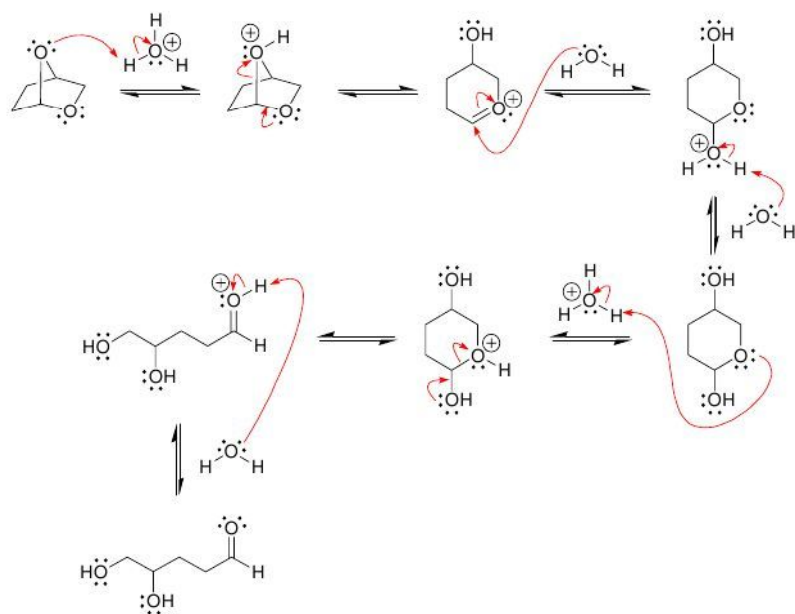
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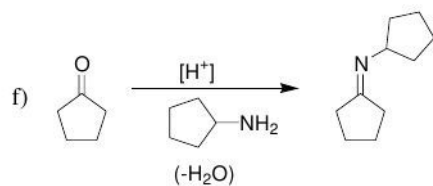
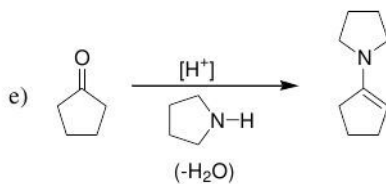
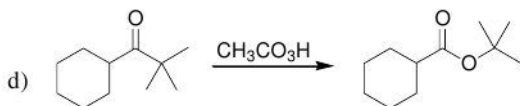
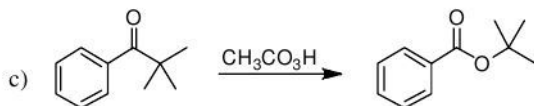
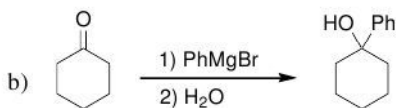
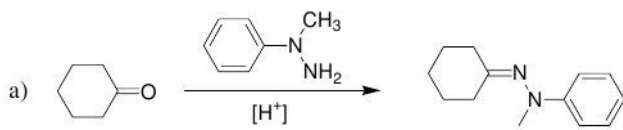
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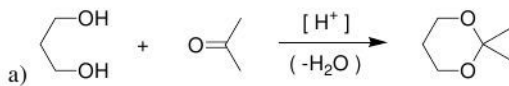
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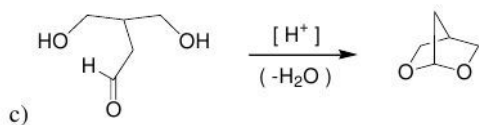
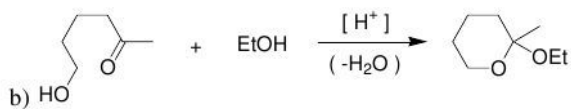
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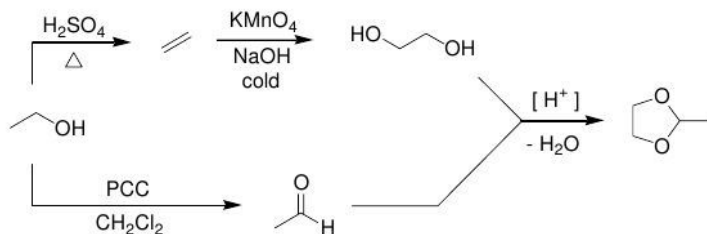
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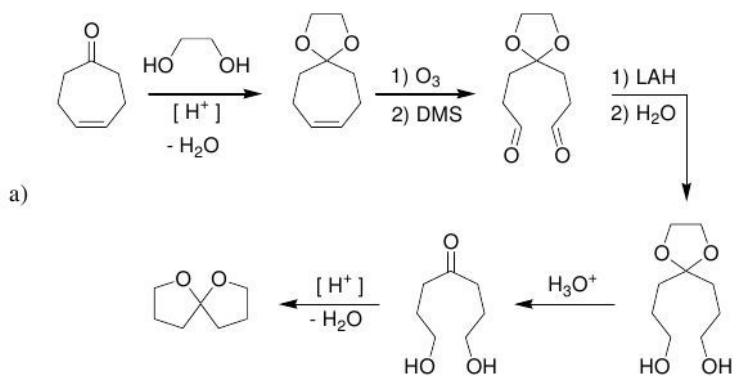


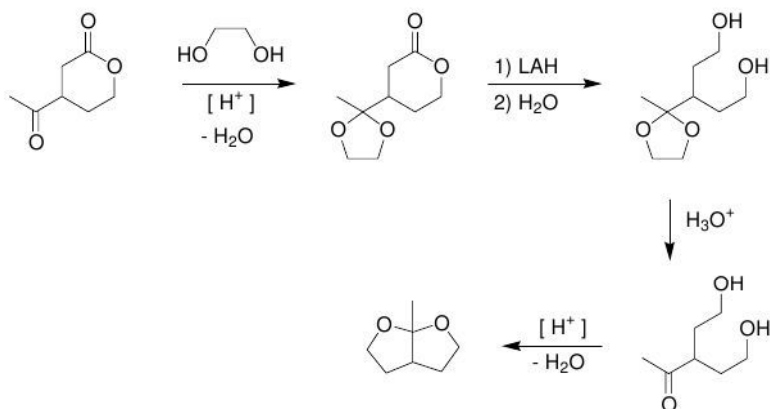


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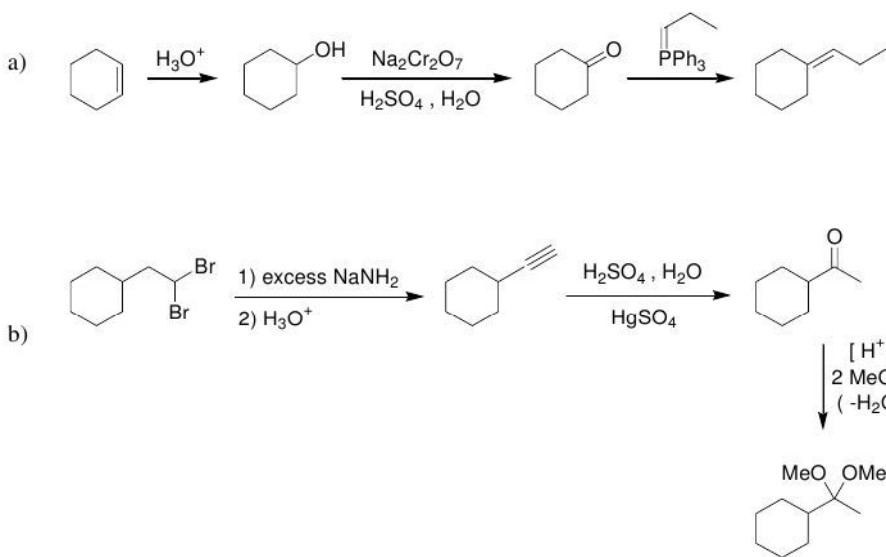


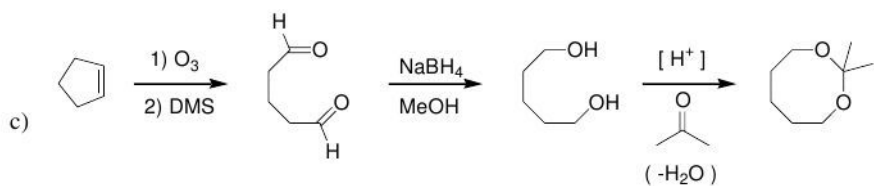


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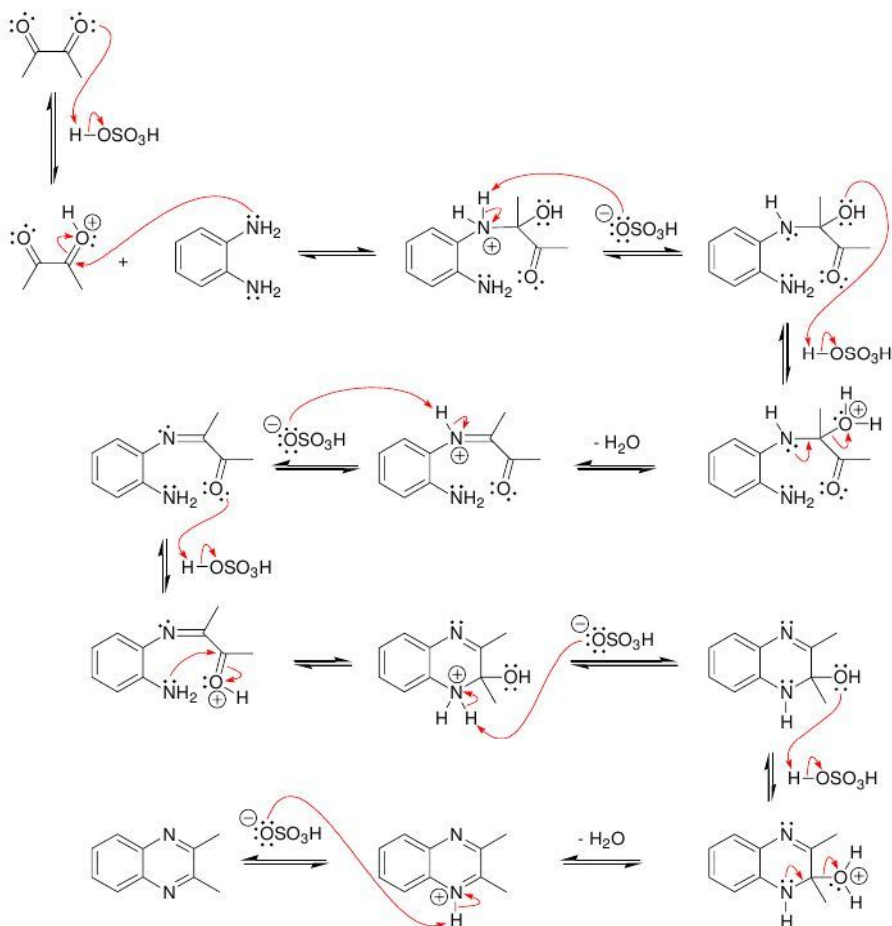


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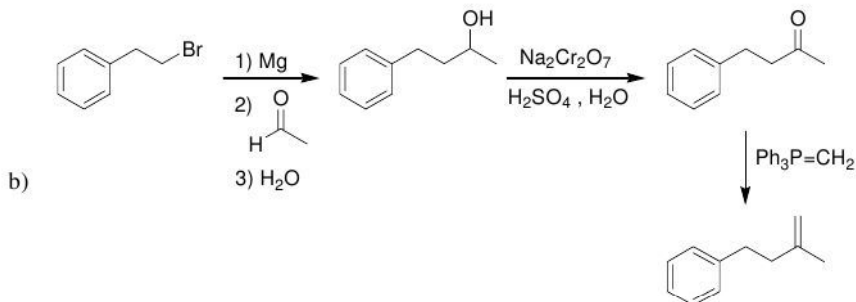
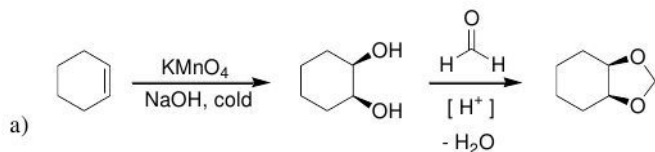
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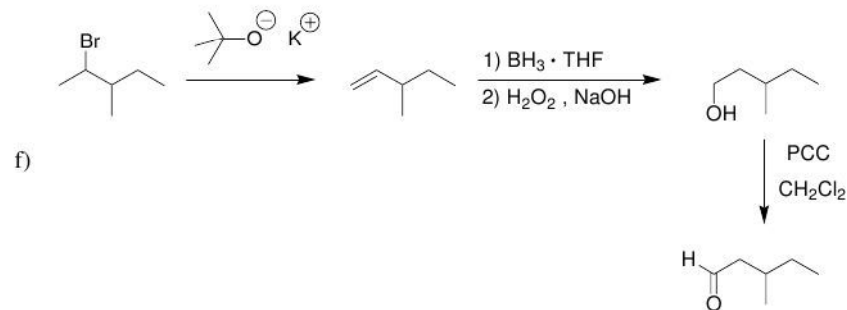
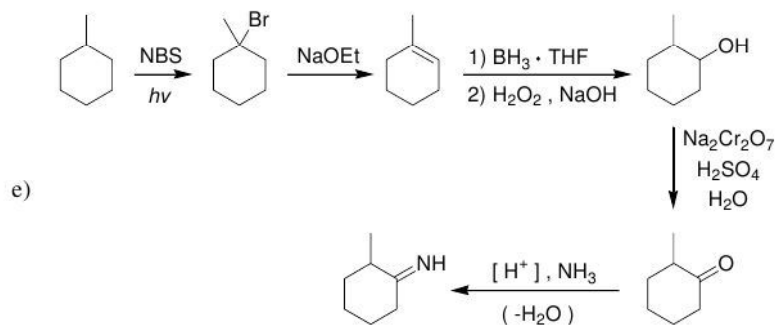
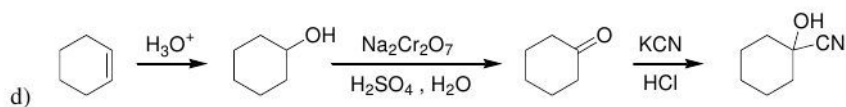
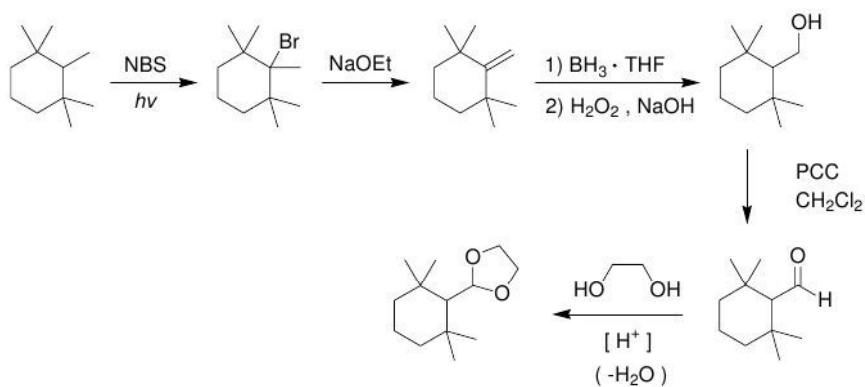


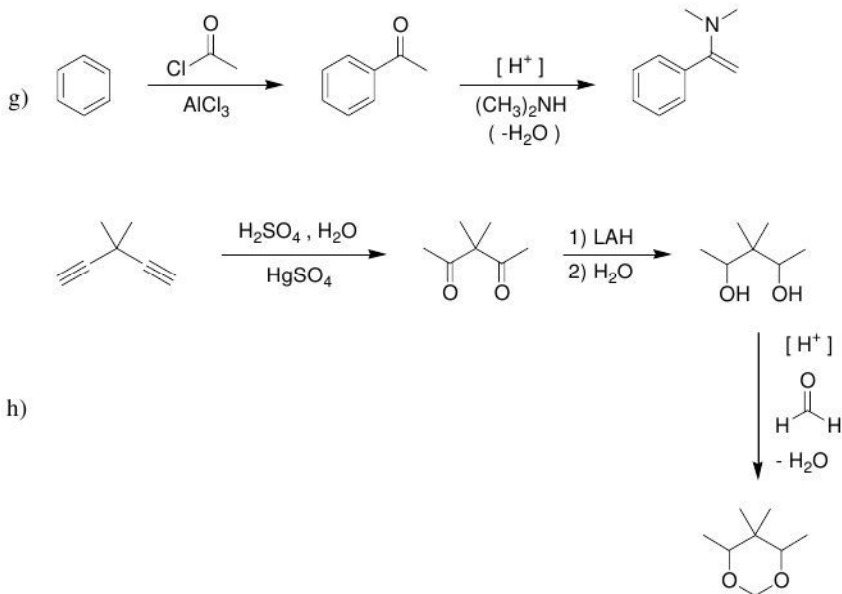
**20.73.** Cyclopropanone exhibits significant ring strain, with bond angles of approximately  $60^\circ$ . Some of this ring strain is relieved upon conversion to the hydrate, because an  $sp^2$ -hybridized carbon atom (that must be  $120^\circ$  to be strain free) is replaced by an  $sp^3$ -hybridized carbon atom (that must be only  $109.5^\circ$  to be strain free). In contrast, cyclohexanone is a larger ring and exhibits only minimal ring strain. Conversion of cyclohexanone to its corresponding hydrate does not alleviate a significant amount of ring strain.

**20.74.** 1,2-dioxane has two adjacent oxygen atoms and is therefore a peroxide. Like other peroxides, it is extremely unstable and potentially explosive. 1,3-dioxane has two oxygen atoms separated by one carbon atom. This compound is therefore an acetal. Like other acetals, it is only stable under basic conditions, but undergoes hydrolysis under mildly acidic conditions. 1,4-dioxane is stable under basic conditions as well as mildly acidic conditions, and is therefore used as a common solvent.

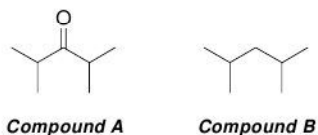
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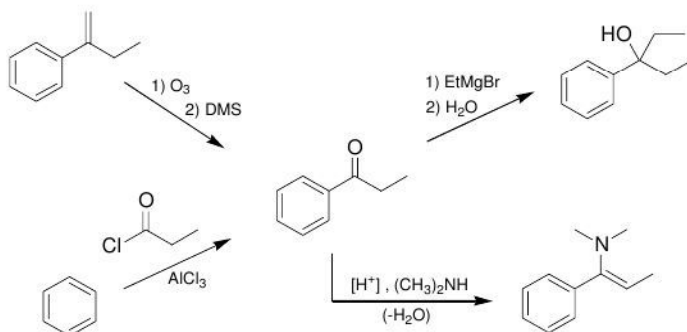


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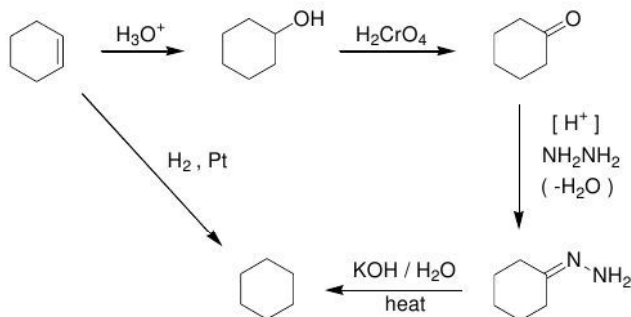


- a) Three  
 b) Three  
 c) Compound A is a ketone, while Compound B is an alkane. Therefore, Compound A will exhibit a signal at approximately  $1715\text{ cm}^{-1}$ , while Compound B will not exhibit a signal in the same region.

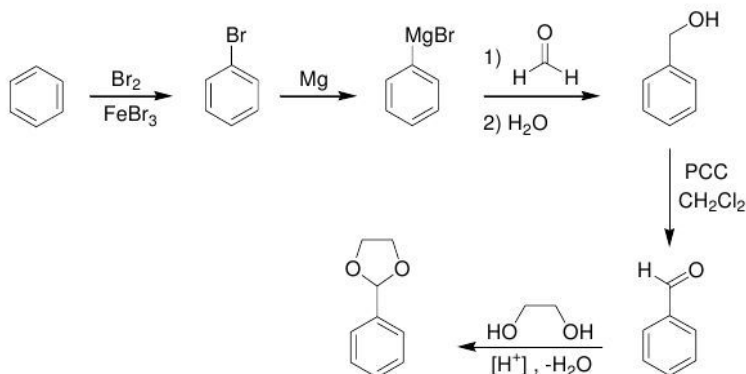
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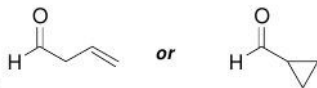
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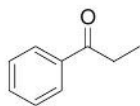


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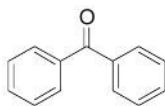


b) The first compound above would exhibit four signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, while the second compound would exhibit only three signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum.

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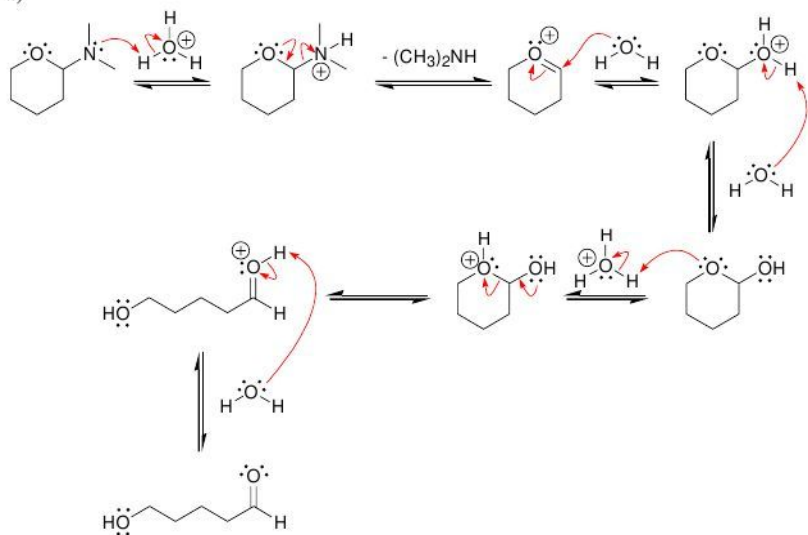
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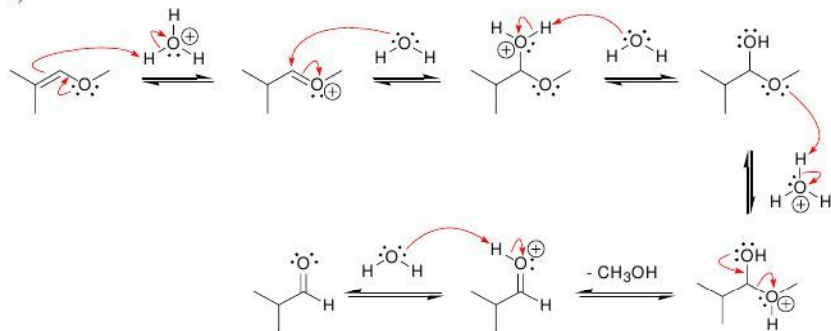
20.83. 2,2,4,4-Tetramethyl-3-pentanone

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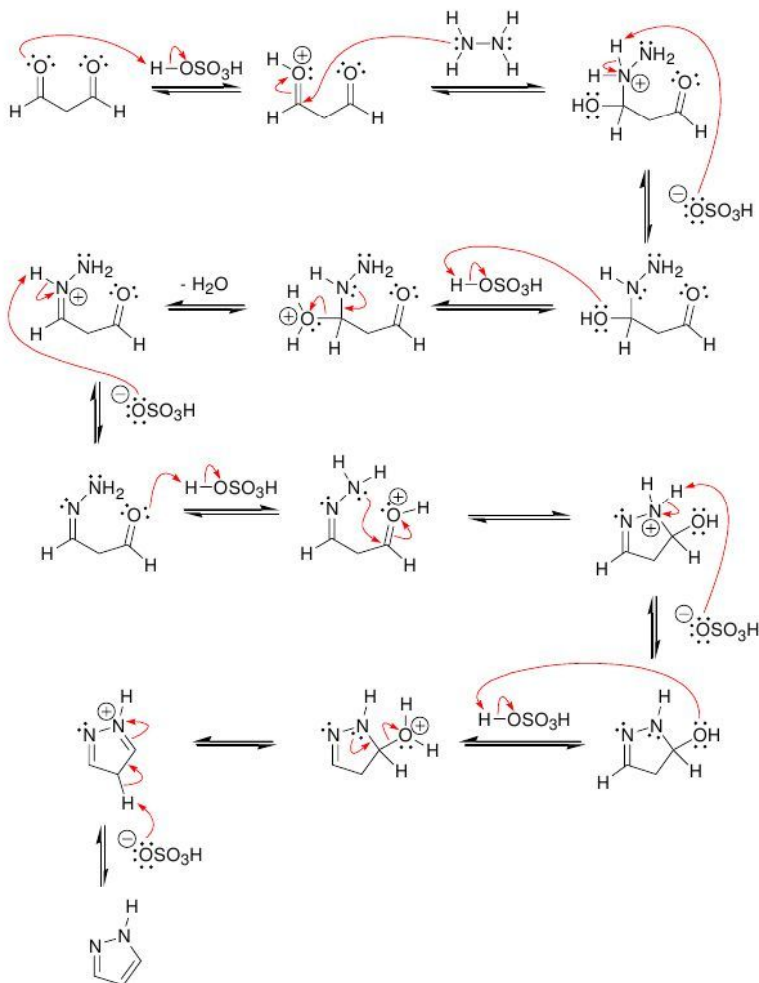


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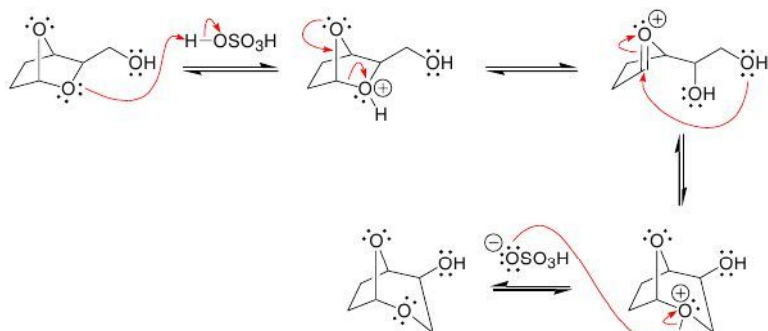




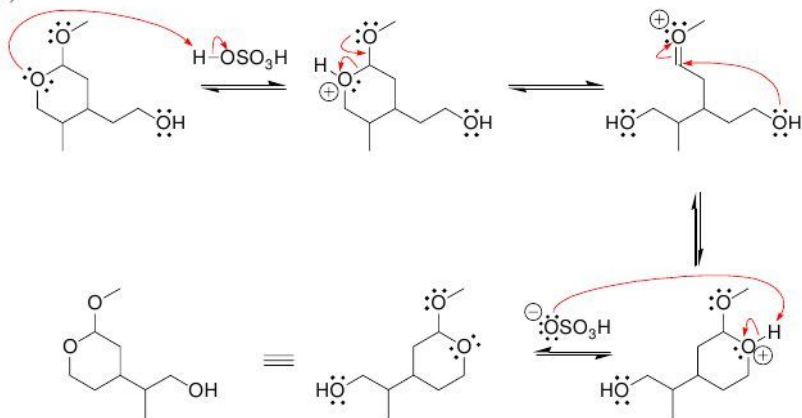
c) **Note:** *The first two steps of the mechanism below can be reversed (first the amine attacks the carbonyl group, and then the tetrahedral intermediate is protonated). The same is true for attack of the second carbonyl group (half-way through the mechanism). It would be wise to check your lecture notes to determine if your instructor has a strong preference for this alternate sequence of steps.*



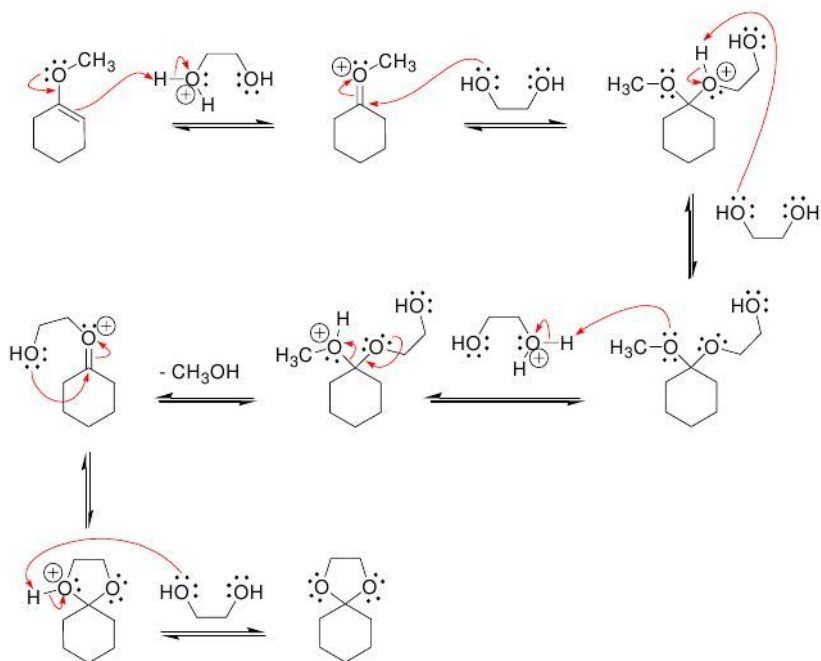
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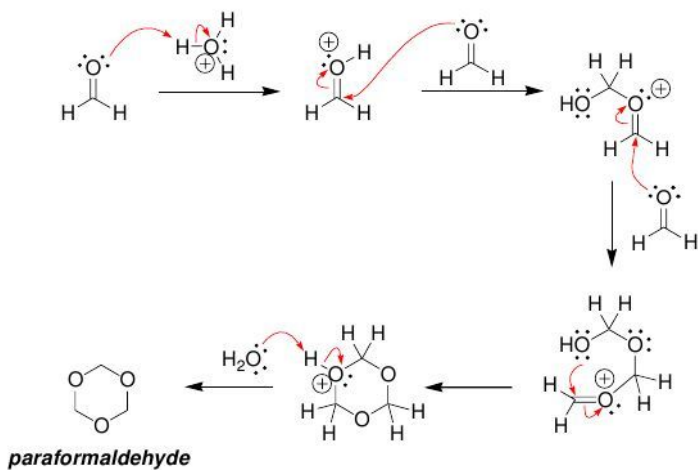
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20.85.



# Chapter 21

## Carboxylic Acids and Their Derivatives

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 21. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- Treatment of a carboxylic acid with a strong base yields a \_\_\_\_\_ salt.
- The  $pK_a$  of most carboxylic acids is between \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.
- Using the **Henderson-Hasselbalch equation**, it can be shown that carboxylic acids exist primarily \_\_\_\_\_ at **physiological pH**.
- Electron-\_\_\_\_\_ substituents can increase the acidity of a carboxylic acid.
- When treated with aqueous acid, a nitrile will undergo \_\_\_\_\_, yielding a carboxylic acid.
- Carboxylic acids are reduced to \_\_\_\_\_ upon treatment with lithium aluminum hydride or borane.
- **Carboxylic acid derivatives** exhibit the same \_\_\_\_\_ state as carboxylic acids.
- Carboxylic acid derivatives differ in reactivity, with \_\_\_\_\_ being the most reactive and \_\_\_\_\_ the least reactive.
- When drawing a mechanism, avoid formation of \_\_\_\_\_ charges in acidic conditions, and avoid formation of \_\_\_\_\_ charges in alkaline conditions.
- When a nucleophile attacks a carbonyl group to form a tetrahedral intermediate, always reform the carbonyl if possible, but never expel \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with an alcohol, acid chlorides are converted into \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with ammonia, acid chlorides are converted into \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with a \_\_\_\_\_ reagent, acid chlorides are converted into alcohols with the introduction of two alkyl groups.
- The reactions of anhydrides are the same as the reactions of \_\_\_\_\_ except for the identity of the leaving group.
- When treated with a strong base followed by an alkyl halide, carboxylic acids are converted into \_\_\_\_\_.
- In a process called the **Fischer esterification**, carboxylic acids are converted into esters when treated with an \_\_\_\_\_ in the presence of \_\_\_\_\_.
- Esters can be hydrolyzed to yield carboxylic acids by treatment with either aqueous base or aqueous \_\_\_\_\_. Hydrolysis under basic conditions is also called \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with lithium aluminum hydride, esters are reduced to yield \_\_\_\_\_. If the desired product is an aldehyde, then \_\_\_\_\_ is used as a reducing agent instead of LAH.
- When treated with a \_\_\_\_\_ reagent, esters are reduced to yield alcohols, with the introduction of two alkyl groups.
- When treated with excess LAH, amides are converted into \_\_\_\_\_.
- Nitriles are converted to amines when treated with \_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 21. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 21.1 Drawing the Mechanism of a Nucleophilic Acyl Substitution Reaction

IDENTIFY THE TWO CORE STEPS OF ANY NUCLEOPHILIC ACYL SUBSTITUTION REACTION

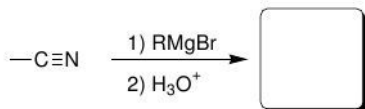
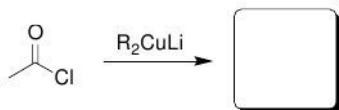
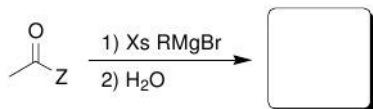
<b>PROTON TRANSFER</b>		<b>PROTON TRANSFER</b>		<b>PROTON TRANSFER</b>
IN ACIDIC CONDITIONS, THE _____ GROUP IS FIRST PROTONATED		IN ACIDIC CONDITIONS, THE _____ IS PROTONATED BEFORE IT _____		REQUIRED IN ORDER TO OBTAIN A _____ PRODUCT

### 21.2 Interconverting Functional Groups

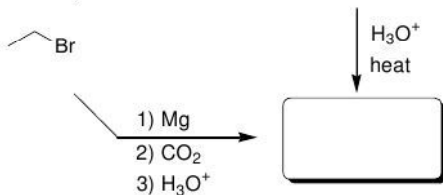
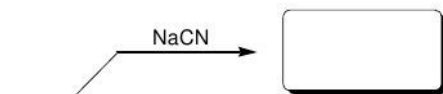
IDENTIFY THE REAGENTS NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATIONS

### 21.3 Choosing the Most Efficient C-C Bond-Forming Reaction

*C-C Bond Forming Reactions  
for which the Functional Group  
Remains in the Same Location*



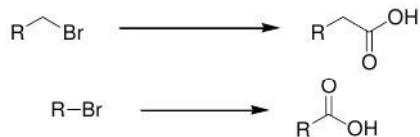
*C-C Bond Forming Reactions  
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Location of the Functional Group*



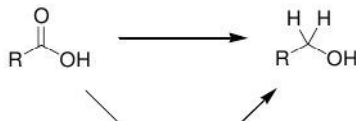
### Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 21. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

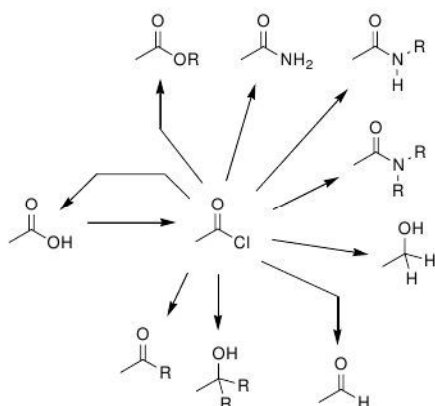
#### *Preparation of Carboxylic acids*



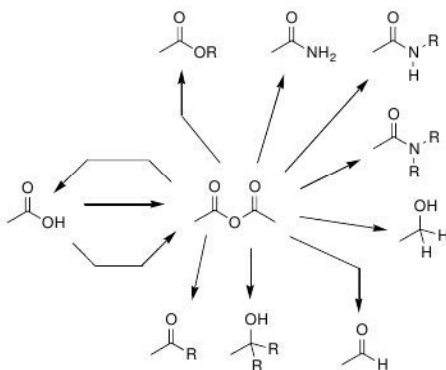
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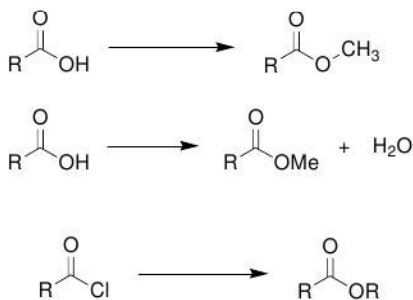
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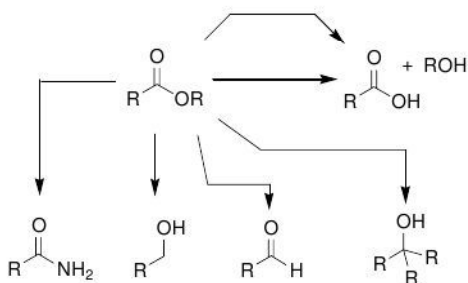
### Preparation and Reactions of Acid Anhydrides



### Preparation of Esters



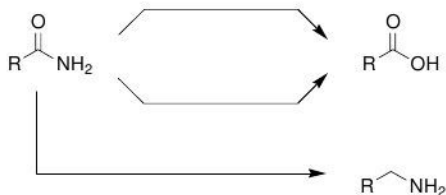
### Reactions of Esters

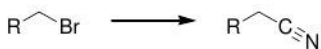
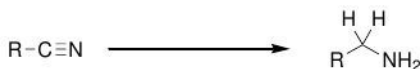


### Preparation of Amides



### Reactions of Amides



**Preparation of Nitriles****Reactions of Nitriles****Solutions****21.1.**

a) IUPAC name = pentanedioic acid

Common name = glutaric acid

b) IUPAC name = butanoic acid

Common name = butyric acid

c) IUPAC name = benzene carboxylic acid

Common name = benzoic acid

d) IUPAC name = butanedioic acid

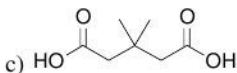
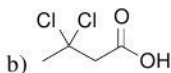
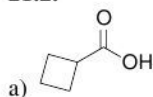
Common name = succinic acid

e) IUPAC name = ethanoic acid

Common name = acetic acid

f) IUPAC name = methanoic acid

Common name = formic acid

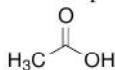
**21.2.**



**21.3.**

- a) 3,3,4,4-tetramethylhexanoic acid  
 b) 2-propylpentanoic acid  
 c) (*S*)-2-amino-3-phenylpropanoic acid

**21.4.** The compound below is more acidic because its conjugate base is resonance stabilized. The conjugate base of the other compound is not resonance stabilized.

**21.5.**

The conjugate base is resonance stabilized, with the negative charge spread over two oxygen atoms, just like with carboxylic acids:



**21.6.** *meta*-Hydroxyacetophenone should be less acidic than *para*-hydroxyacetophenone, because in the conjugate base of the former, the negative charge is spread over only one oxygen atoms (and three carbon atoms). In contrast, the conjugate base of *para*-hydroxyacetophenone has the negative charge spread over two oxygen atoms (more stable).

**21.7.**

**21.8.** The conjugate base predominates under these conditions:

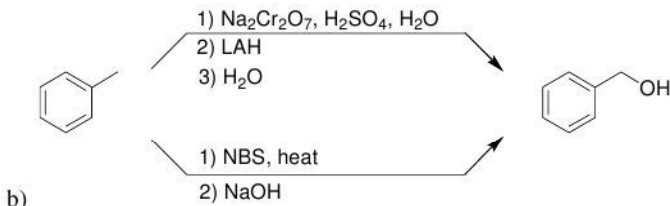
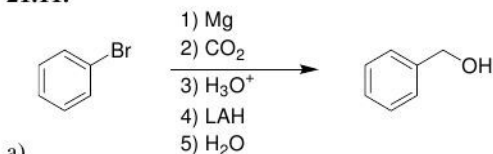
$$\frac{[\text{conjugate base}]}{[\text{acid}]} = 10^{(\text{pH} - \text{pK}_a)} = 10^{(5.76 - 4.76)} = 10^1 = 10$$

**21.9.**

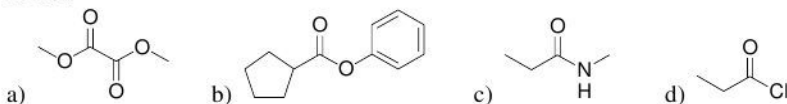
- a) 2,3-dichlorobutyric acid is the most acidic and 3,4-dimethylbutyric acid is the least acidic.  
 b) 2,2-dibromopropionic acid is the most acidic and 3-bromopropionic acid is the least acidic.

**21.10.**

- a)  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 b)  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 c)  $\text{CH}_3\text{Cl}$ ,  $\text{AlCl}_3$  followed by  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 d)  $\text{NaCN}$ , followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ , heat  
     or  $\text{Mg}$ , followed by  $\text{CO}_2$ , followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$   
 e)  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$   
 f)  $\text{Mg}$ , followed by  $\text{CO}_2$ , followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$

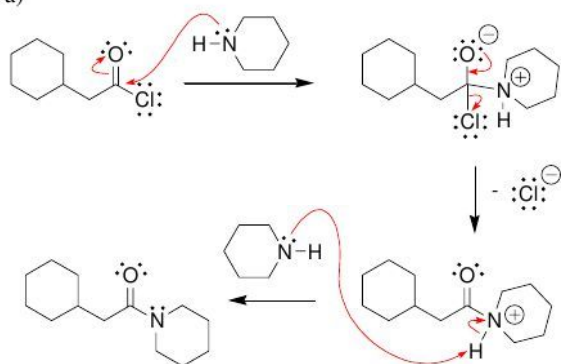
**21.11.****21.12.**

- a) propionic anhydride  
 b) *N,N*-diphenyl-propionamide  
 c) dimethylsuccinate  
 d) *N*-ethyl-*N*-methylcyclobutanecarboxamide  
 e) butyronitrile  
 f) propyl butyrate  
 g) succinic anhydride  
 h) methyl benzoate  
 i) phenyl acetate

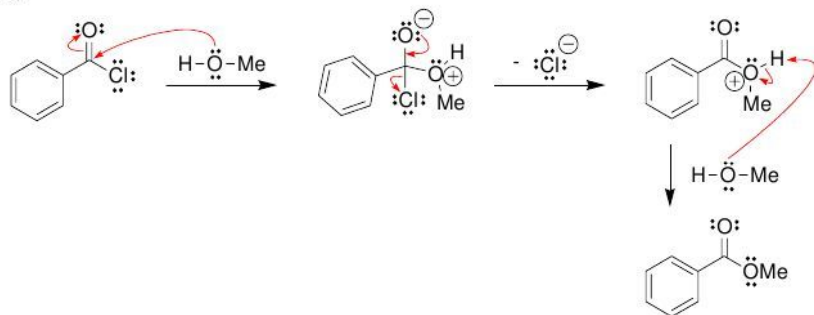
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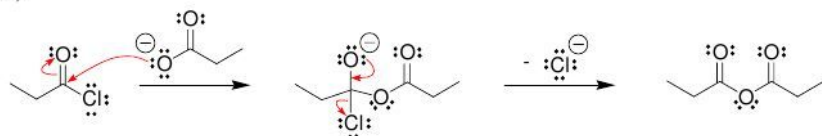
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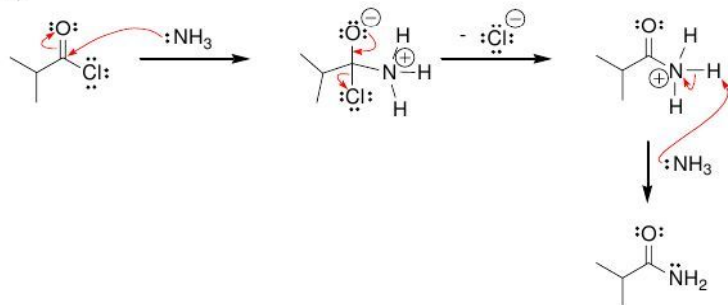
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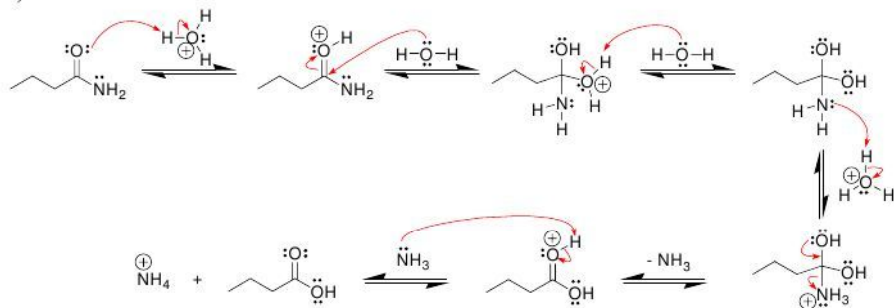
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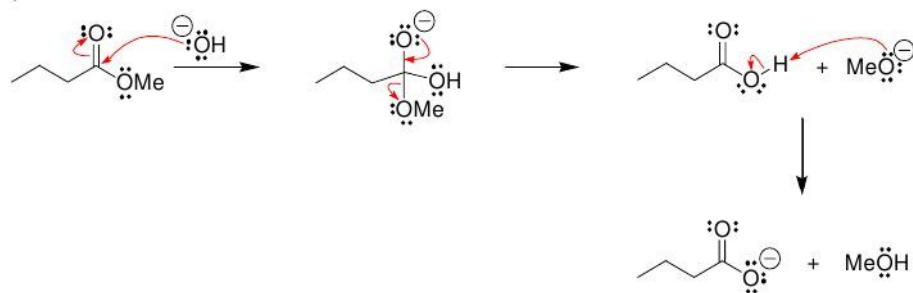
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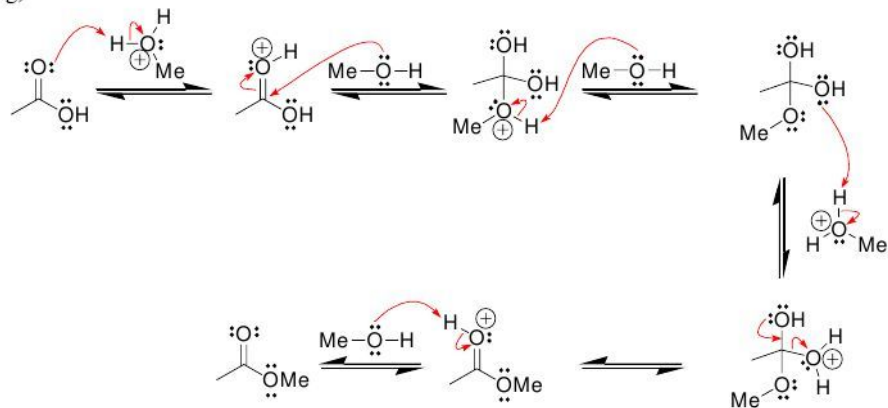
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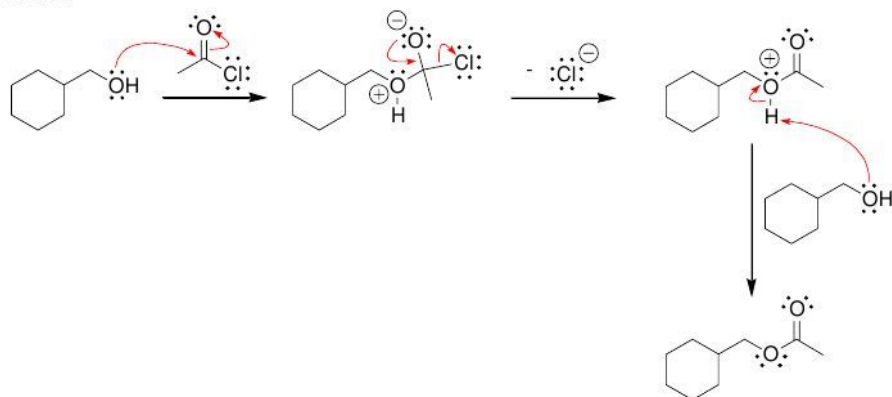
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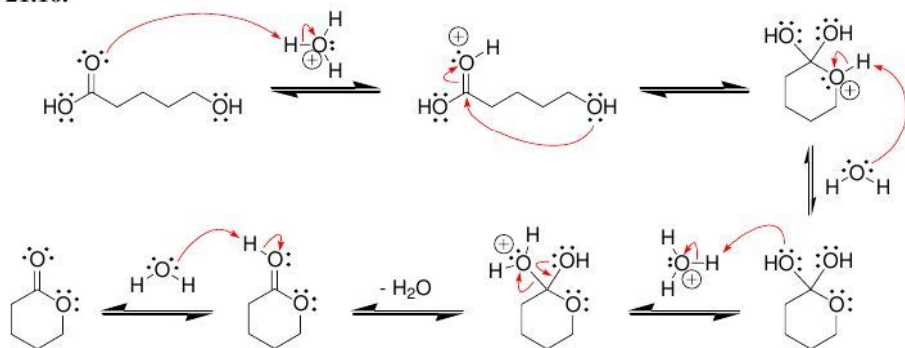
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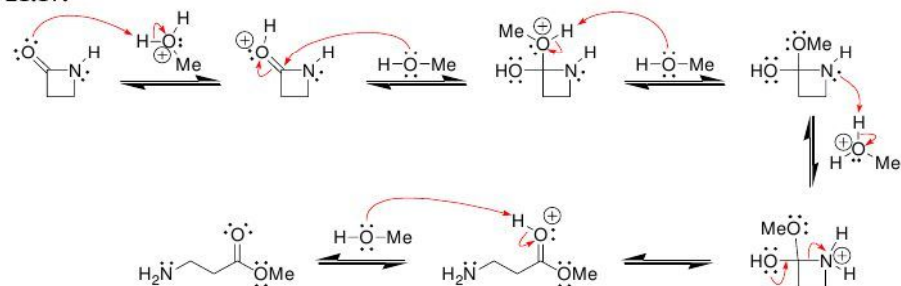
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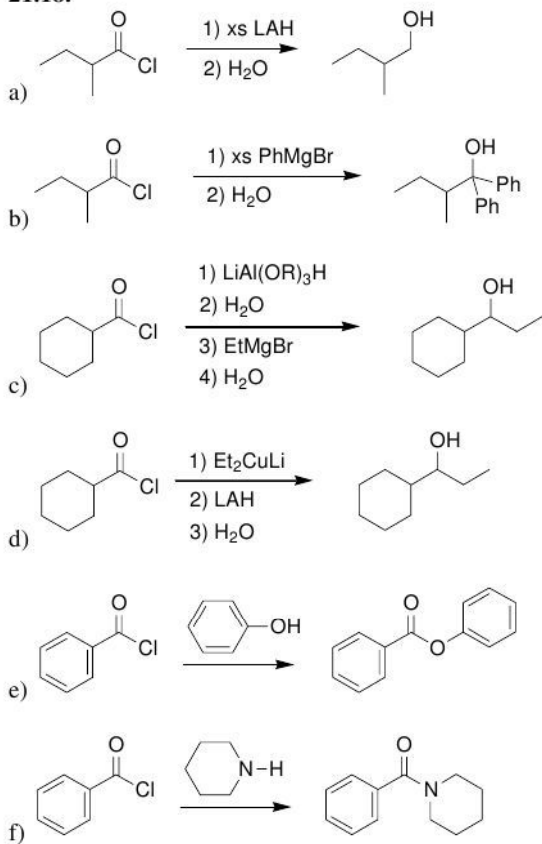
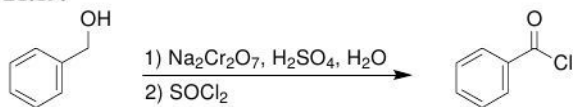


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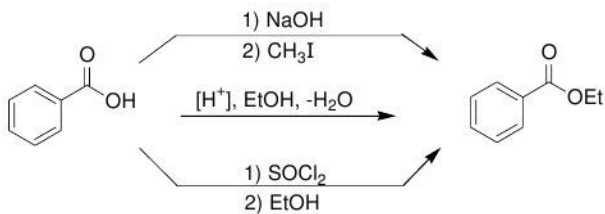
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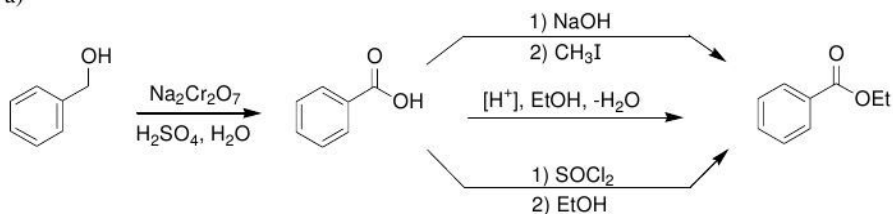


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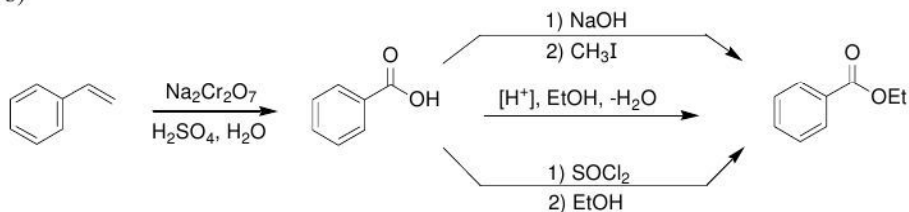


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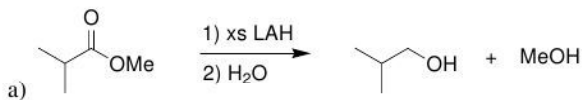
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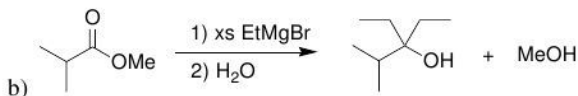
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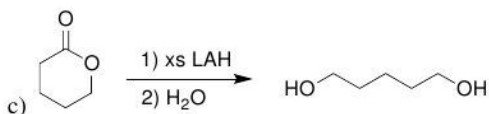
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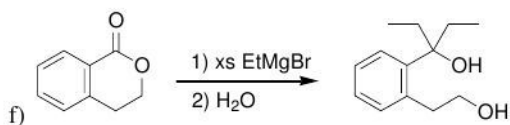
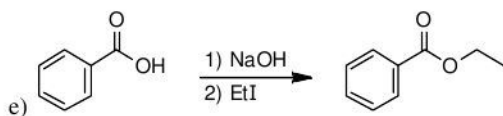
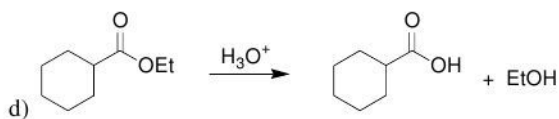


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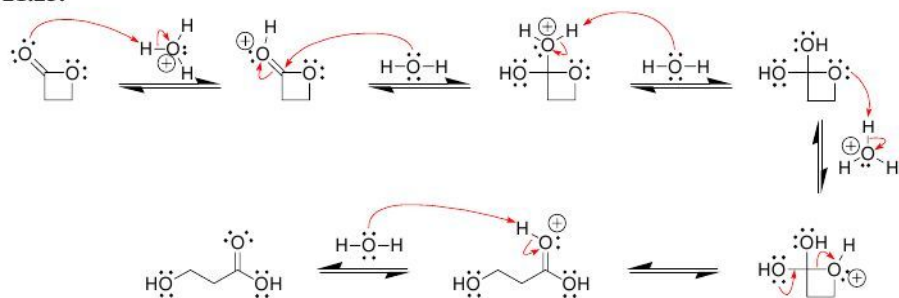


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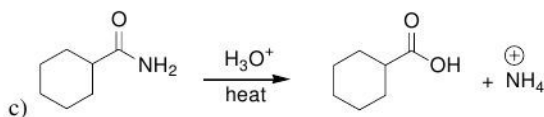
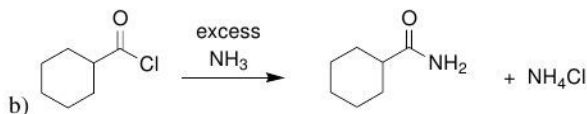
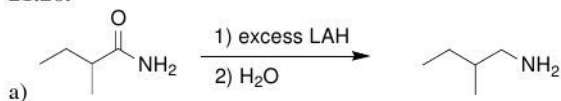




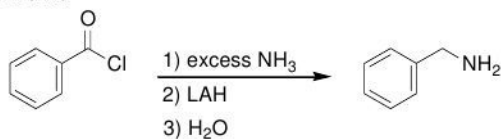
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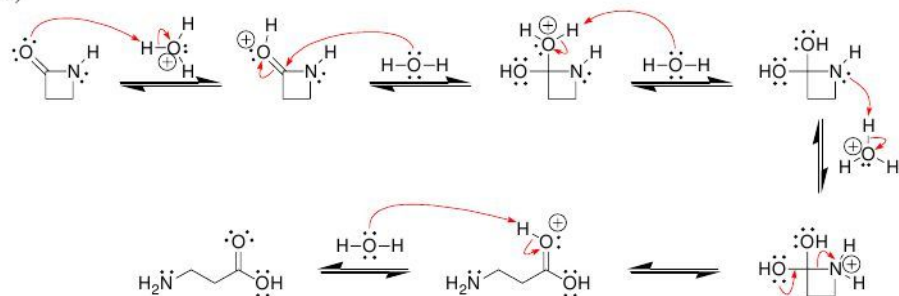


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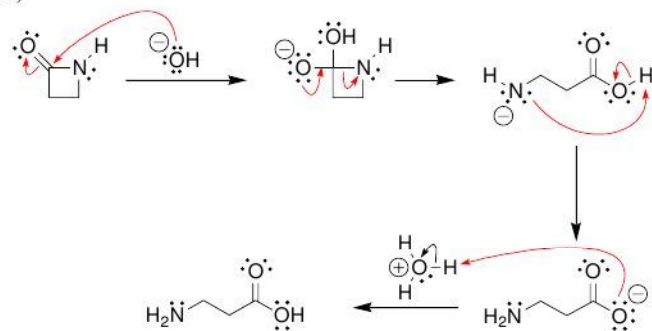


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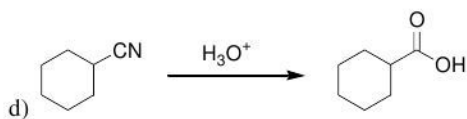
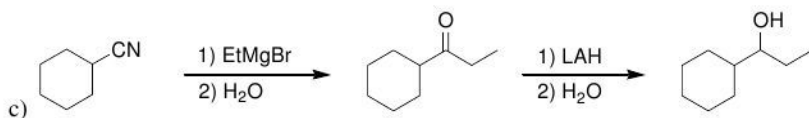
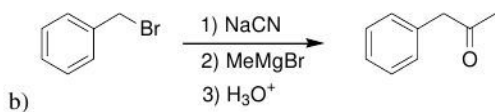
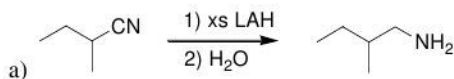
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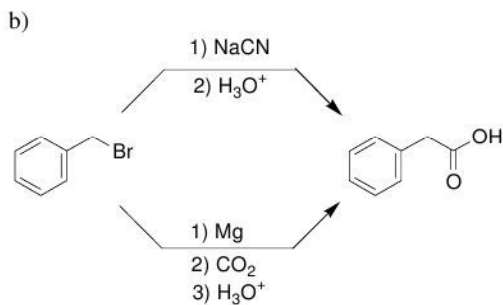
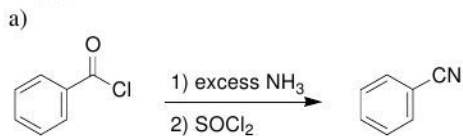
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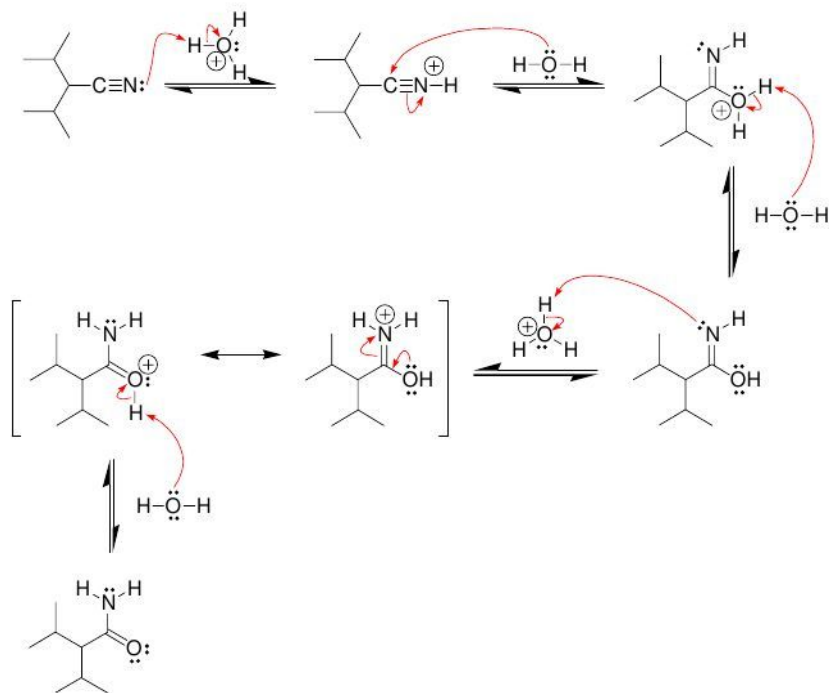
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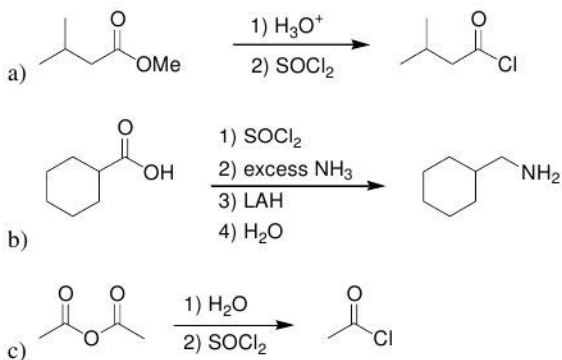
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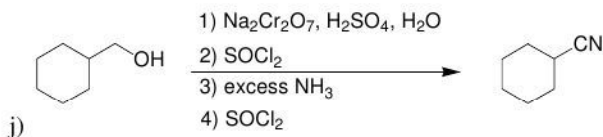
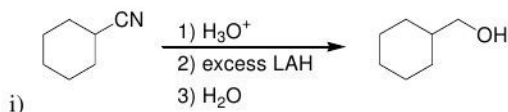
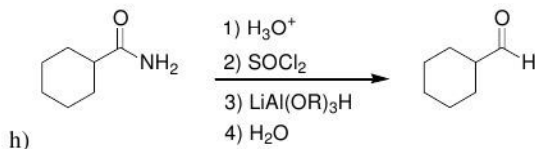
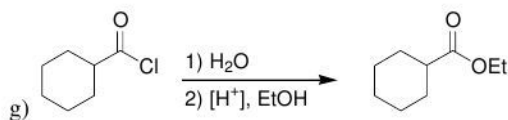
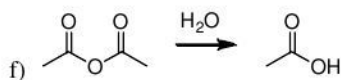
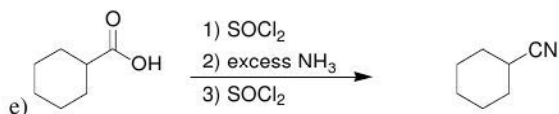
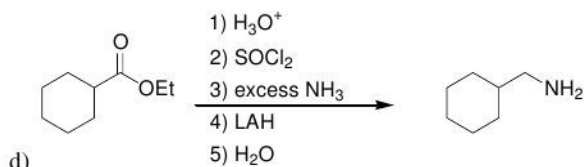


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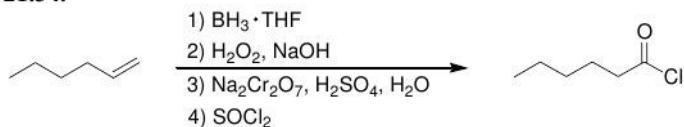
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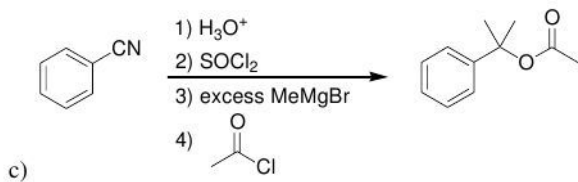
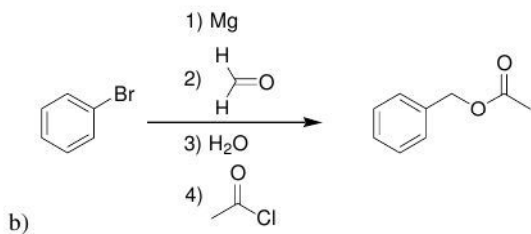
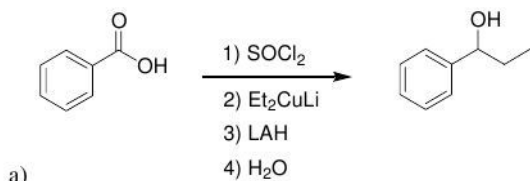


**21.33.** Four steps: 1) oxidize to a carboxylic acid, 2) convert into an acid halide, 3) convert into an amide, and 4) reduce to give an amine.

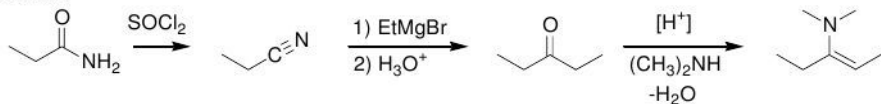
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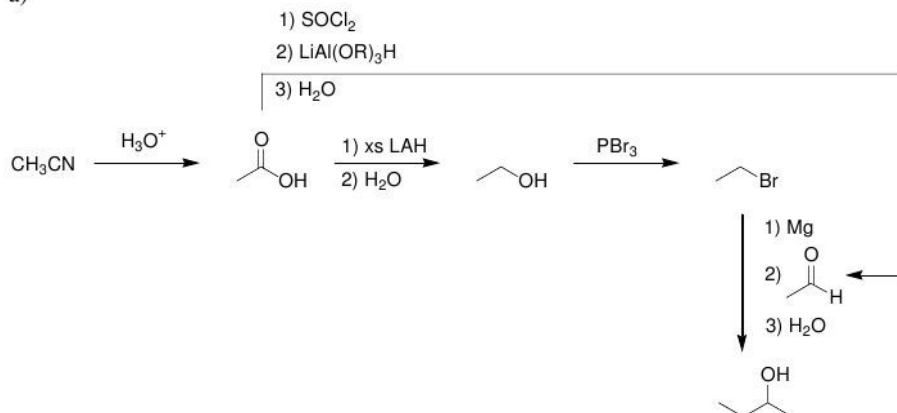


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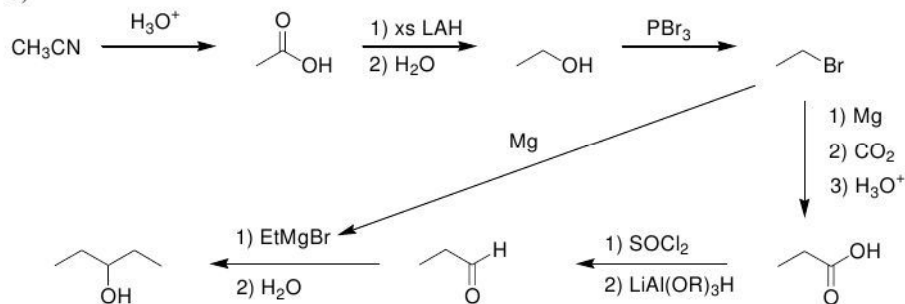


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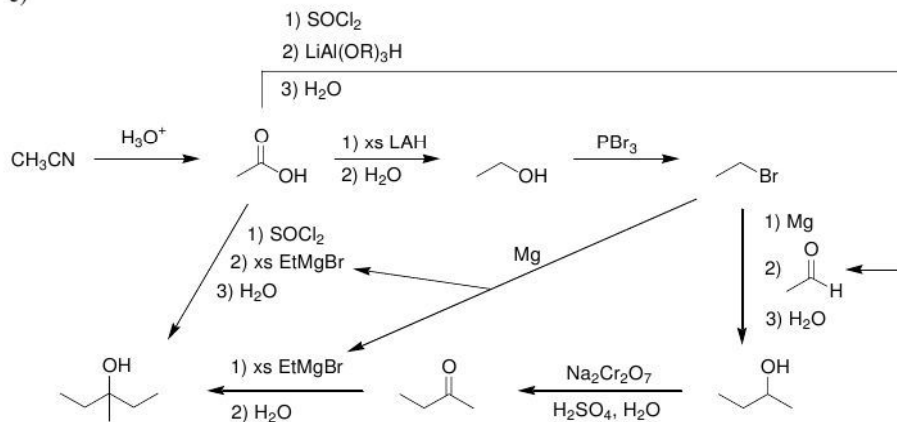
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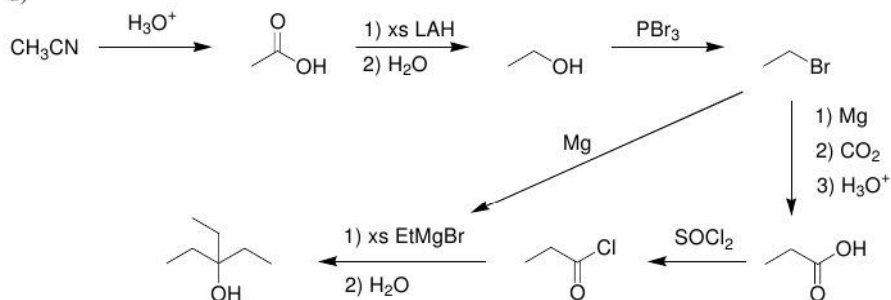
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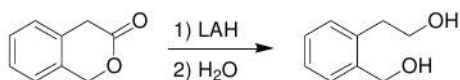
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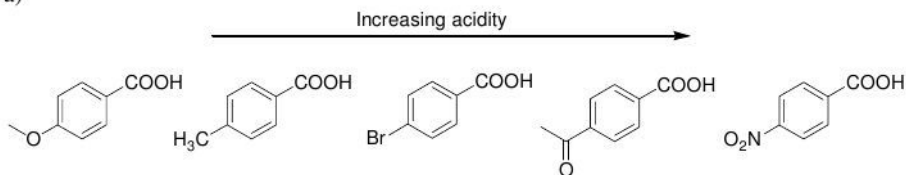
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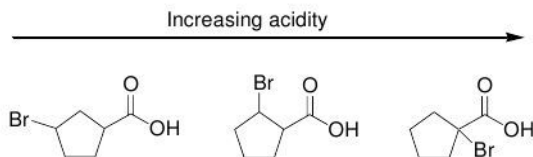
**21.38.** The signal at  $1740 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  indicates that the carbonyl group is not conjugated with the aromatic ring (it would be at a lower wavenumber if it was conjugated),

**21.39.**

a)



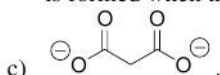
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**21.40.**

- a) The second carboxylic acid moiety is electron withdrawing, and stabilizes the conjugate base that is formed when the first proton is removed.
- b) The carboxylate ion is electron rich and it destabilizes the conjugate base that is formed when the second proton is removed.



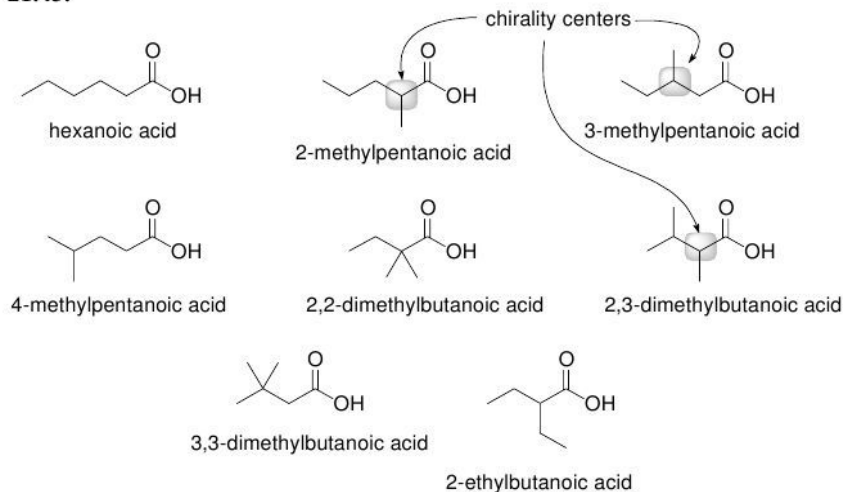
- d) The number of methylene groups ( $\text{CH}_2$ ) separating the carboxylic acid moieties is greater in succinic acid than in malonic acid. Therefore, the inductive effects are not as strong.

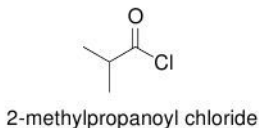
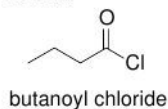
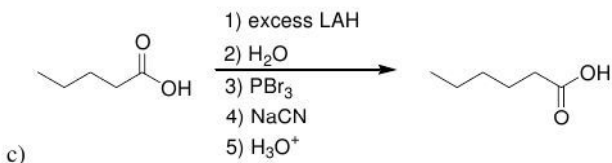
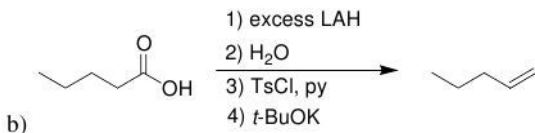
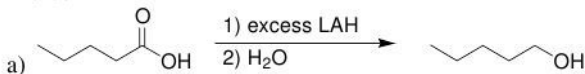
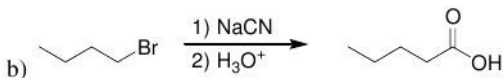
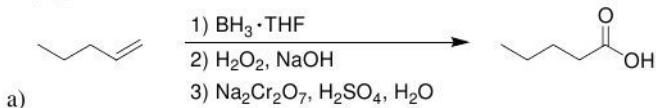
**21.41.**

- a) cyclopentanecarboxylic acid
- b) cyclopentanecarboxamide
- c) benzoyl chloride
- d) ethyl acetate
- e) hexanoic acid
- f) pentanoyl chloride
- g) hexanamide

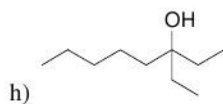
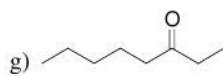
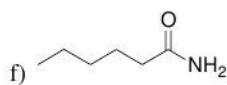
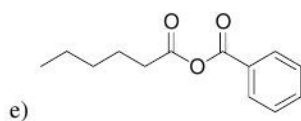
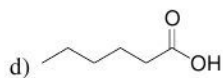
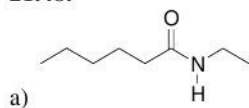
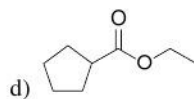
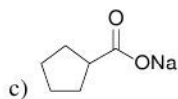
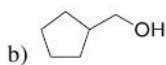
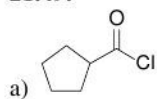
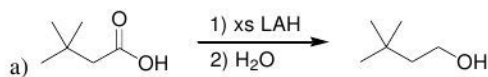
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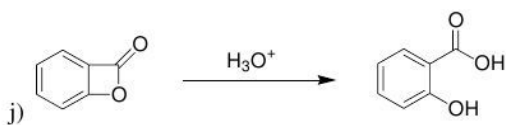
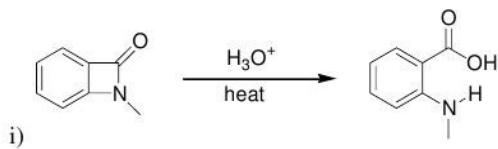
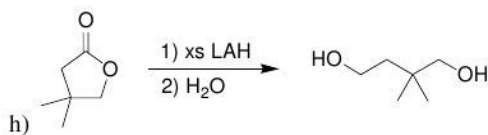
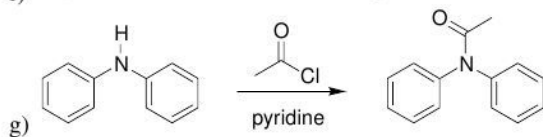
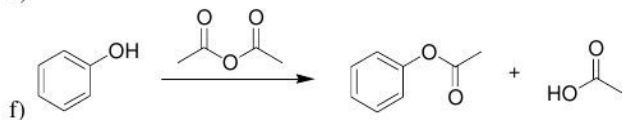
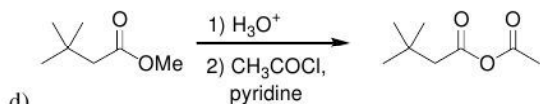
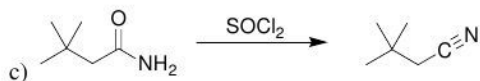
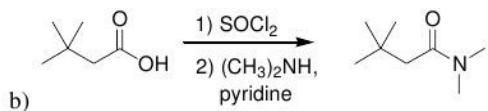
- a) acetic anhydride
- b) benzoic acid
- c) formic acid
- d) oxalic acid

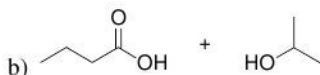
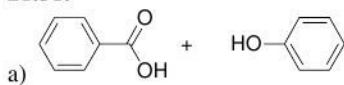
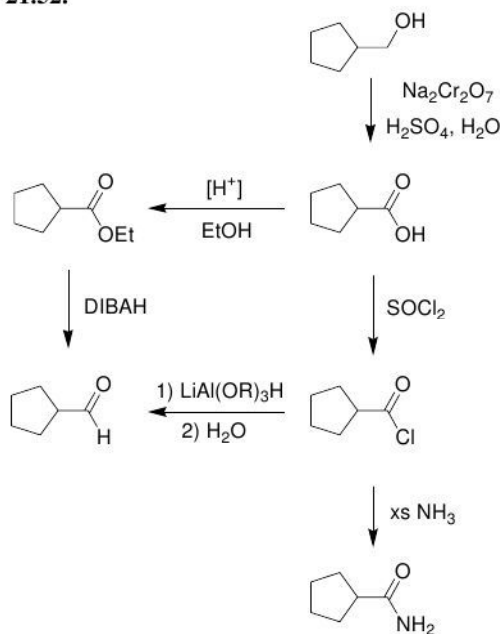
**21.43.**

**21.44.****21.45.****21.46.**

**21.47.** As discussed in Chapter 19, the methoxy group is electron donating via resonance, but electron withdrawing via induction. The resonance effect is stronger, but only occurs when the methoxy group is in an *ortho* or *para* position.

**21.48.****21.49.****21.50.**



**21.51.****21.52.****21.53.**

a) NaOH, followed by  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

b) NaCN followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$

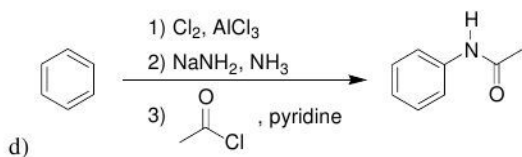
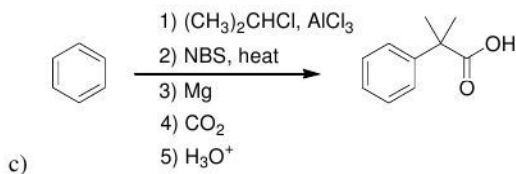
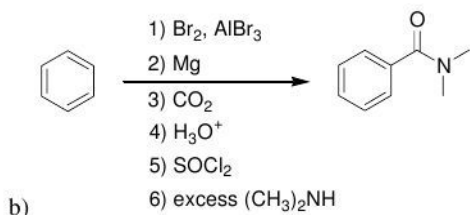
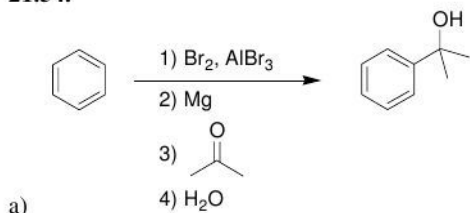
c) NaOH, followed by  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , followed by  $\text{SOCl}_2$

d) NaCN, followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ , followed by  $\text{SOCl}_2$ , followed by xs  $\text{NH}_3$

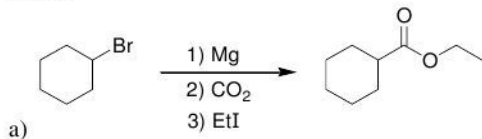
e) NaOH, followed by  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , followed by  $\text{SOCl}_2$ , followed by xs  $\text{NH}_3$

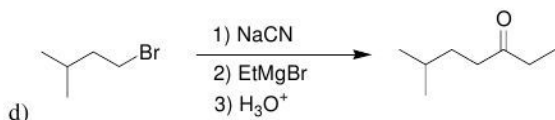
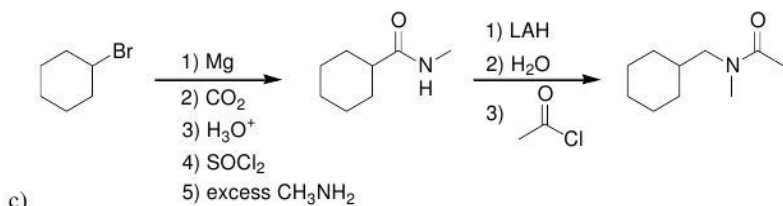
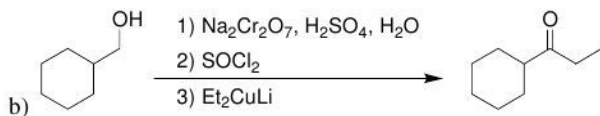
f) NaCN followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ , followed by  $[\text{H}^+]$ , EtOH (with removal of water)

21.54.



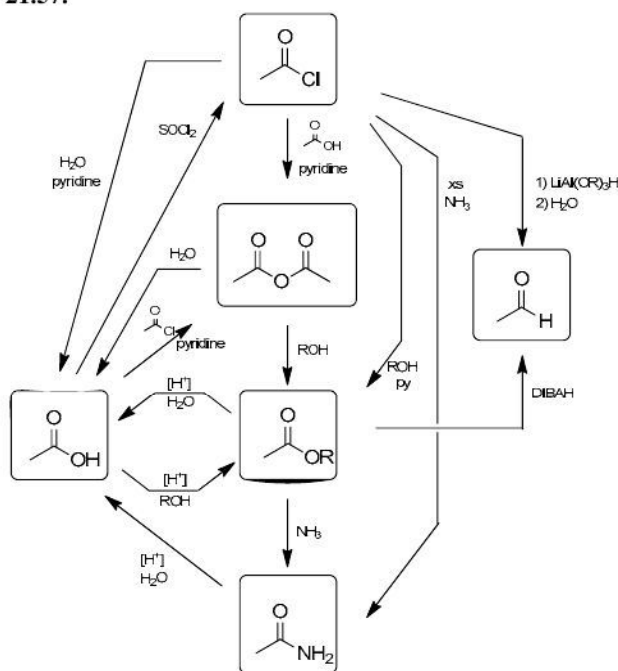
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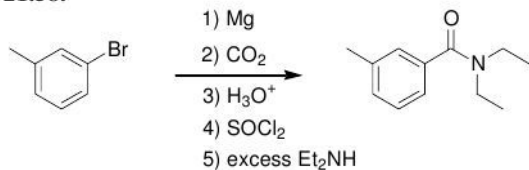


**21.56.** A methoxy group is electron donating, thereby decreasing the electrophilicity of the ester moiety. A nitro group is electron withdrawing, thereby increasing the electrophilicity of the ester group.

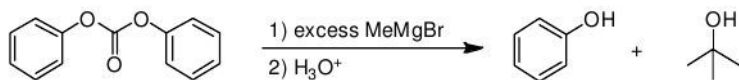
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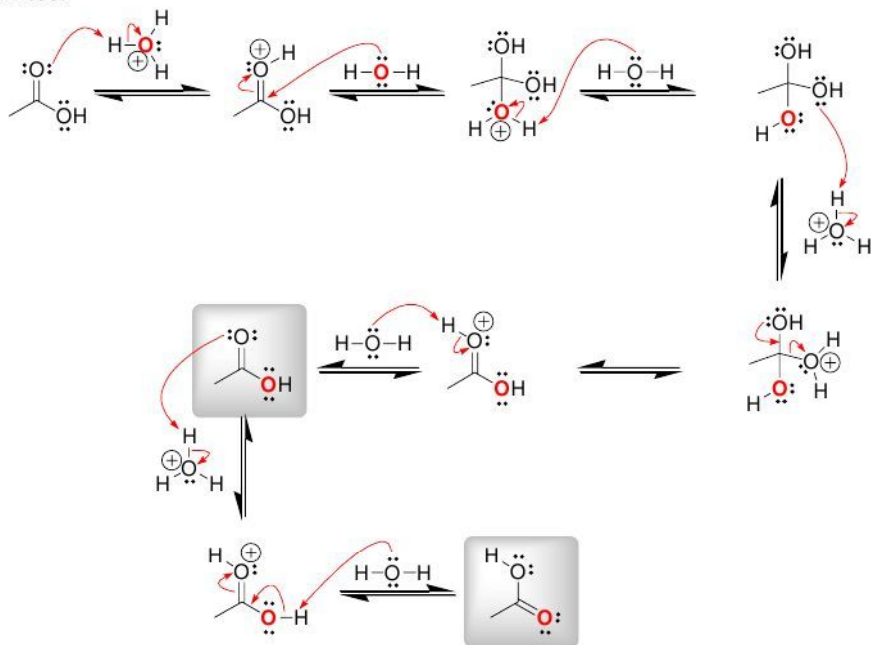
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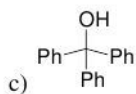
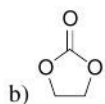
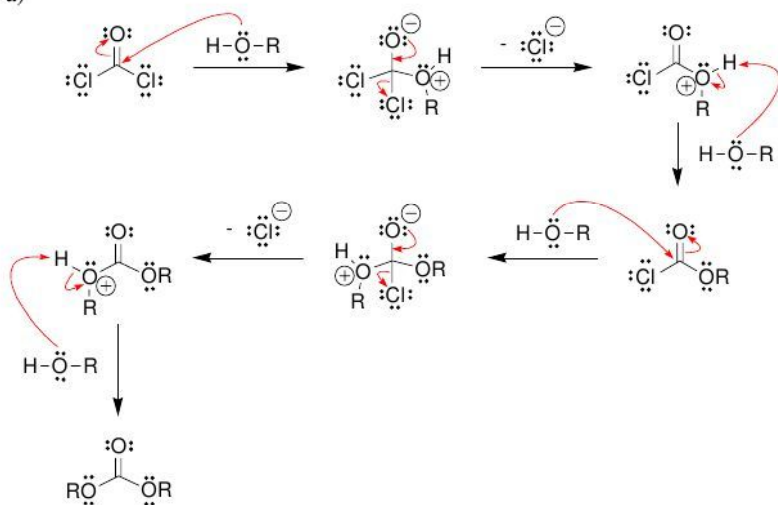
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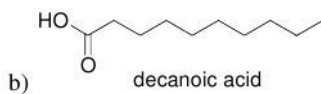
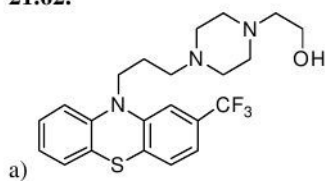


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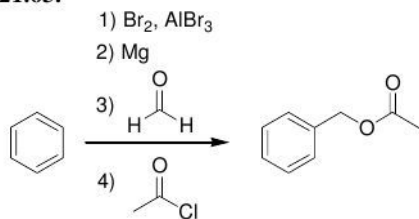
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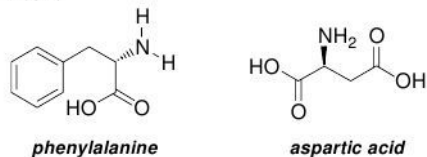
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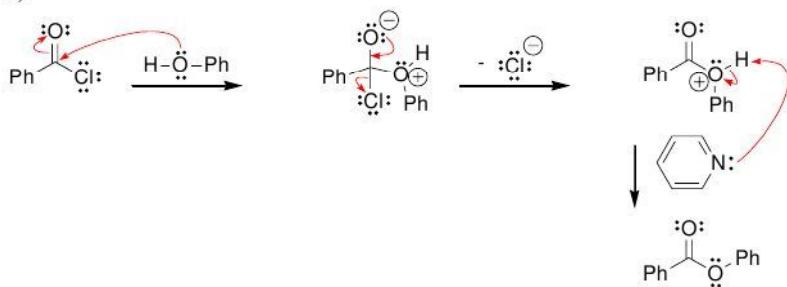


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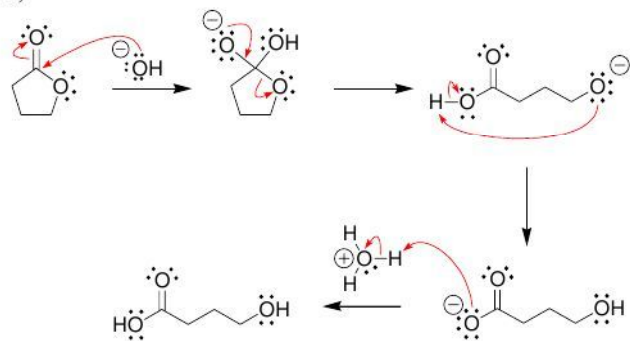


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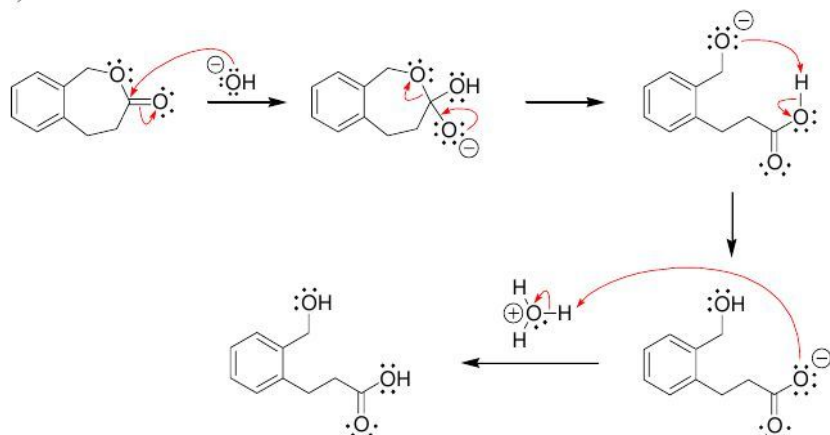
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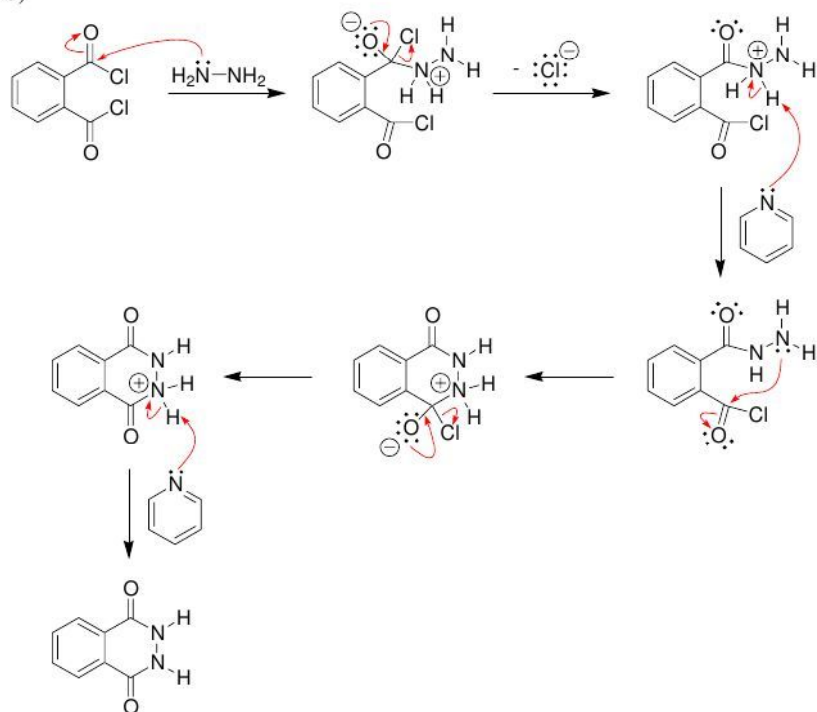
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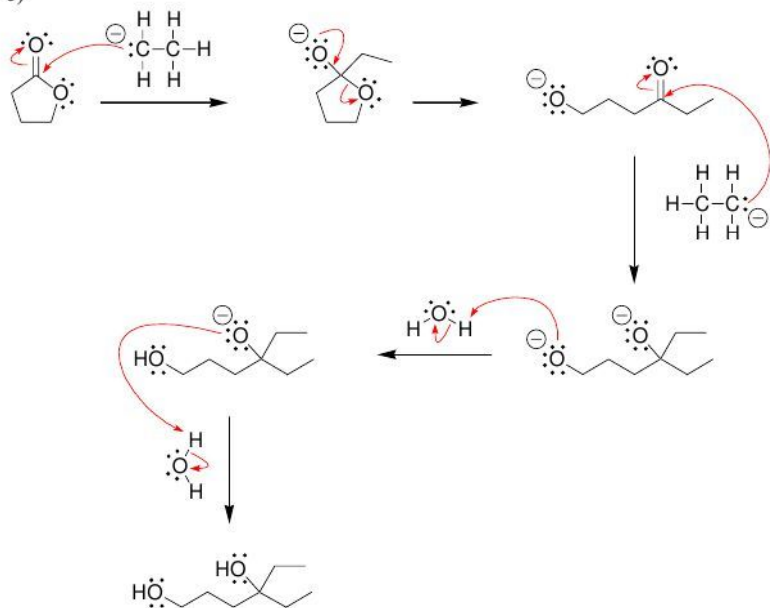
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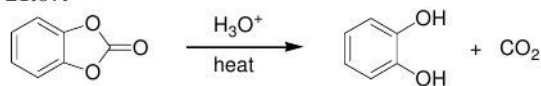


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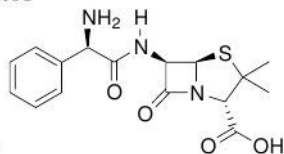


**21.66.** The three chlorine atoms withdraw electron density via induction. This effect renders the carbonyl group more electrophilic.

**21.67.**



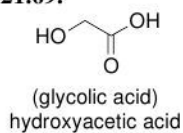
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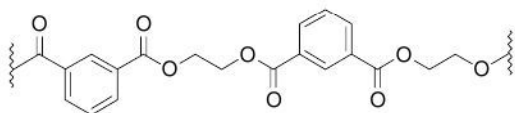
a)

b) Ampicillin

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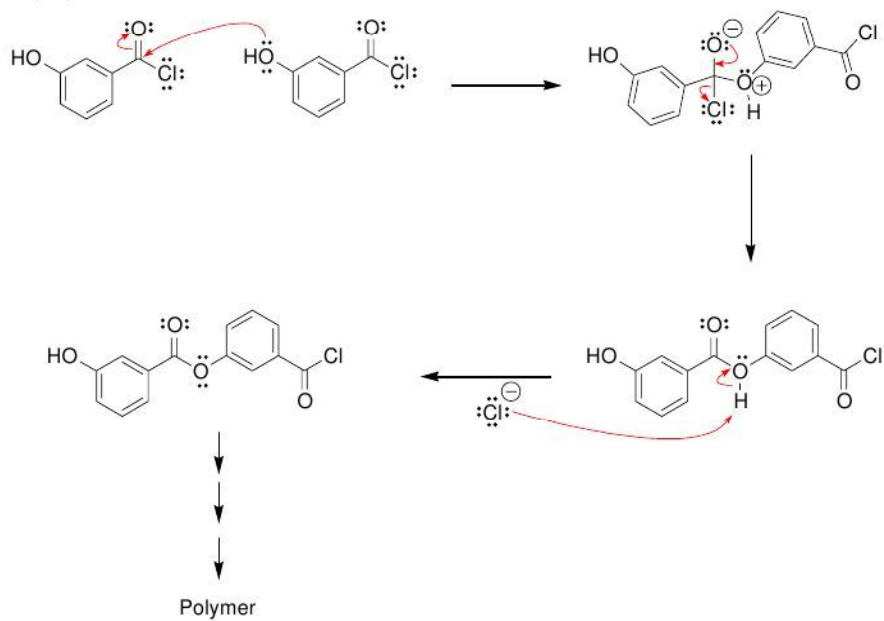
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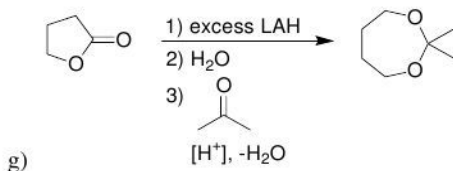
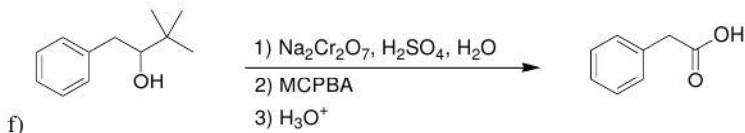
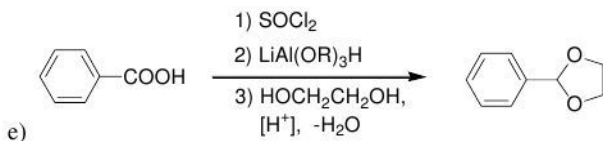
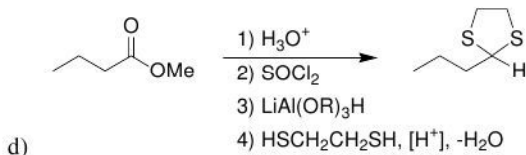
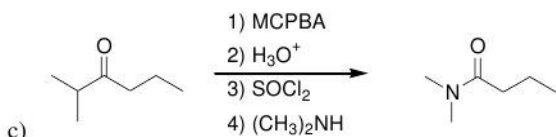
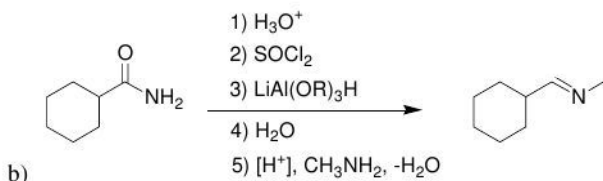
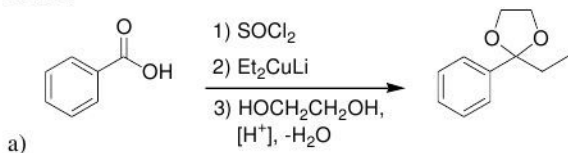
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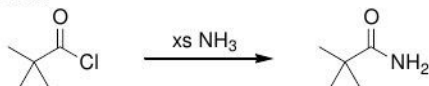
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c1ccccc1.CCl(Cl)Cl.Cl[Al](Cl)Cl>>c1ccc(Cl)cc1[N+](=O)[O-].O=[N+]([O-])O.OS(=O)(=O)(O)O>>c1ccc(Cl)cc1[N+](=O)[O-].O[Na].O>>c1ccc(O)cc1N.Cl. Zn>>c1ccc(O)cc1N.CC(=O)OC(=O)C>>c1ccc(O)cc1NC(=O)C

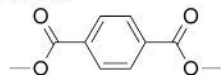
The mechanism illustrates the acid-catalyzed cyclization of 2,2,4,4-tetramethyl-1,3-dioxane-5-carboxylic acid to form its corresponding anhydride. The process begins with the protonation of the carbonyl oxygen of the carboxylic acid group by a hydronium ion ( $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$ ). This is followed by the nucleophilic attack of the hydroxyl group on the protonated carbonyl carbon, leading to the formation of a cyclic tetrahedral intermediate. Subsequent proton transfer steps, involving the loss of a water molecule, lead to the formation of a five-membered cyclic anhydride. The final product is 2,2,4,4-tetramethyl-1,3-dioxane-5-carboxylic anhydride, which is shown in equilibrium with its open-chain form.

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Compound A

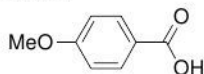
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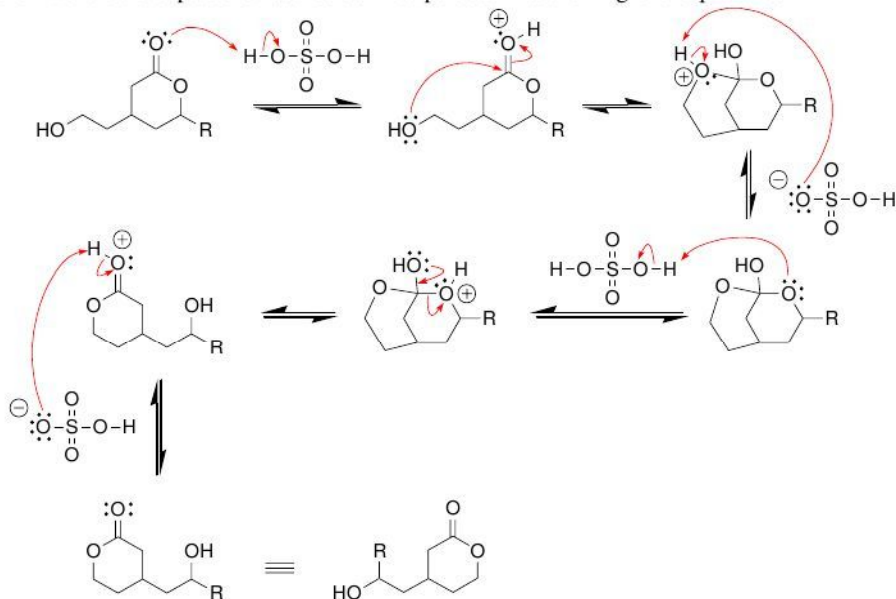
21.78. An IR spectrum of butyric acid should have a broad signal between  $2500\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . An IR spectrum of ethyl acetate will not have this signal.

21.79. The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of *para*-chlorobenzaldehyde should have a signal at approximately 10 ppm corresponding to the aldehydic proton. The  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectrum of benzoyl chloride should not have a signal near 10 ppm.

21.80.



21.81. If the oxygen atom of the OH group in the starting material is an isotopic label, then we would expect the label to be incorporated into the ring of the product:





**21.82.** The lone pair of the nitrogen atom in this case is participating in resonance and is less available to donate electron density to the carbonyl group. As a result, the carbonyl group is more electrophilic than the carbonyl group of a regular amide (where the lone pair contributes significant electron density to the carbonyl group). Also, when this compound functions as an electrophile in a nucleophilic acyl substitution reaction, the leaving group is particularly stable because it is an aromatic anion. With a good leaving group, this compound more closely resembles the reactivity of an acid halide than an amide.

**21.83.**

a) DMF, like most amides, exhibits restricted rotation about the bond between the carbonyl group and the nitrogen atom. This restricted rotation causes the methyl groups to be in different electronic environments. They are not chemically equivalent, and will therefore produce two different signals (in addition to the signal from the other proton in the compound). Upon treatment with excess LAH followed by water, DMF is reduced to an amine that does not exhibit restricted rotation. As such, the methyl groups are now chemically equivalent and will together produce only one signal.

b) Restricted rotation causes the methyl groups to be in different electronic environments. As a result, the  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum of DMF should have three signals.

## Chapter 22

# Alpha Carbon Chemistry: Enols and Enolates

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 22. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- In the presence of catalytic acid or base, a ketone will exist in equilibrium with an \_\_\_\_\_. In general, the equilibrium position will significantly favor the \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with a strong base, the  $\alpha$  position of a ketone is deprotonated to give an \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ will irreversibly and completely convert an aldehyde or ketone into an enolate.
- In the **haloform reaction**, a \_\_\_\_\_ ketone is converted into a carboxylic acid upon treatment with excess base and excess halogen followed by acid workup.
- When an aldehyde is treated with sodium hydroxide, an **aldol addition reaction** occurs, and the product is a \_\_\_\_\_.
- For most simple aldehydes, the position of equilibrium favors the aldol product. For most ketones, the reverse process, called a \_\_\_\_\_-**aldol reaction** is favored.
- When an aldehyde is heated in aqueous sodium hydroxide, an **aldol** \_\_\_\_\_ **reaction** occurs, and the product is an \_\_\_\_\_. Elimination of water occurs via an \_\_\_\_\_ **mechanism**.
- **Crossed aldol**, or **mixed aldol reactions** are aldol reactions that occur between different partners, and are only efficient if one partner lacks \_\_\_\_\_ or if a **directed aldol addition** is performed.
- Intramolecular aldol reactions show a preference for formation of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_-membered rings.
- When an ester is treated with an alkoxide base, a **Claisen condensation reaction** occurs, and the product is a \_\_\_\_\_.
- The  $\alpha$  position of a ketone can be alkylated by forming an enolate and treating it with an \_\_\_\_\_.
- For unsymmetrical ketones, reactions with \_\_\_\_\_ at low temperature favor formation of the kinetic enolate, while reactions with \_\_\_\_\_ at room temperature favor the thermodynamic enolate.
- When LDA is used with an unsymmetrical ketone, alkylation occurs at the \_\_\_\_\_ position.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ **synthesis** enables the conversion of an alkyl halide into a carboxylic acid with the introduction of two new carbon atoms.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ **synthesis** enables the conversion of an alkyl halide into a methyl ketone with the introduction of two new carbon atoms.
- Aldehydes and ketones that possess \_\_\_\_\_-unsaturation are susceptible to nucleophilic attack at the  $\beta$  position. This reaction is called a \_\_\_\_\_ **addition**, **1,4-addition**, or a **Michael reaction**.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 22. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

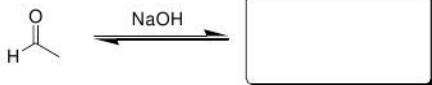
### 22.1 Drawing Enolates

DRAW THE RESONANCE STRUCTURES OF THE ENOLATE THAT IS FORMED WHEN THE KETONE BELOW IS TREATED WITH A STRONG BASE:



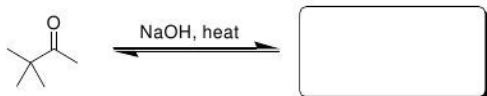
### 22.2 Predicting the Products of an Aldol Addition Reaction

PREDICT THE PRODUCT OF THE ALDOL ADDITION REACTION THAT OCCURS WHEN THE FOLLOWING ALDEHYDE IS TREATED WITH SODIUM HYDROXIDE:



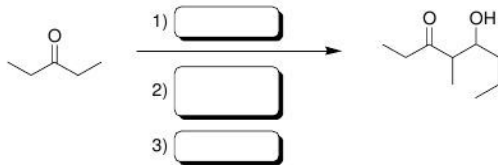
### 22.3 Drawing the Product of an Aldol Condensation

DRAW THE PRODUCT OF THE ALDOL CONDENSATION REACTION THAT OCCURS WHEN THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND IS HEATED WITH SODIUM HYDROXIDE:



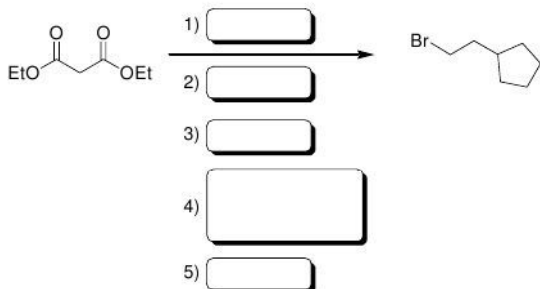
### 22.4 Identifying the Reagents Necessary for a Crossed Aldol Reaction

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



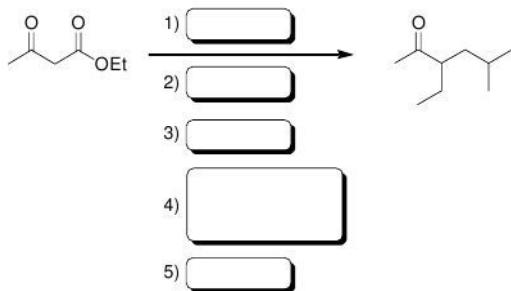
## 22.5 Using the Malonic Ester Synthesis

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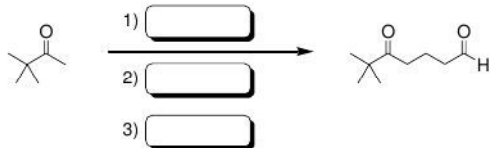
## 22.6 Using the Acetoacetic Ester Synthesis

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



## 22.7 Determining When to Use a Stork Enamine Synthesis

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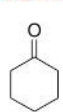


## 22.8 Determining which Addition or Condensation Reaction to Use

PREDICT THE MAJOR PRODUCT OF EACH REACTION BELOW:

## 1,5-DIFUNCTIONALIZED COMPOUNDS

STORK ENAMINE SYNTHESIS

1)  $R_2NH$ ,  $[H^+]$ 

2)

3)  $H_2O$ 

## 1,3-DIFUNCTIONALIZED COMPOUNDS

ALDOL ADDITION

 $NaOH$  $H_2O$ 

CLAISEN CONDENSATION

1)  $NaOEt$ 2)  $H_3O^+$ 

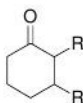
## 22.9 Alkylating the Alpha and Beta Positions

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



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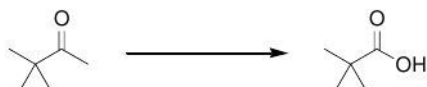
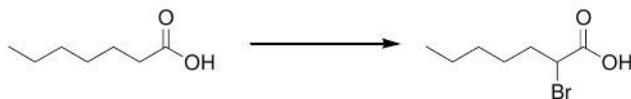
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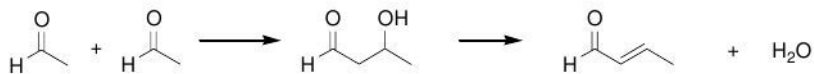
## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 22. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

## Alpha Halogenation



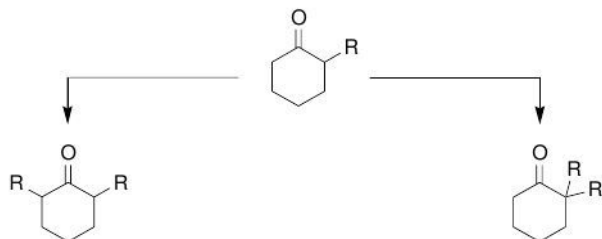
## Aldol Reactions



## Claisen Condensation

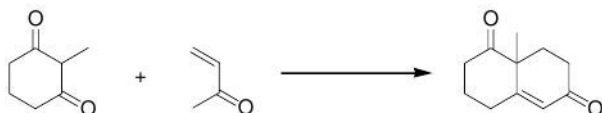
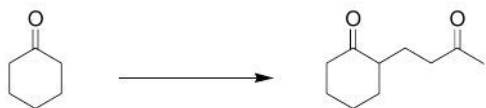
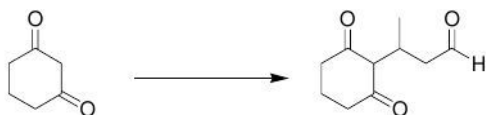


## Alkylation



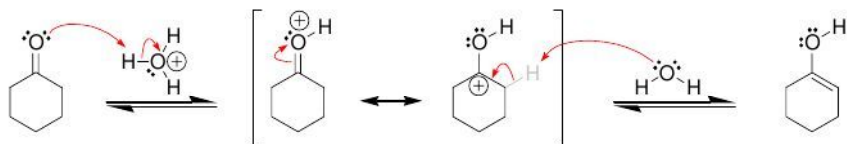


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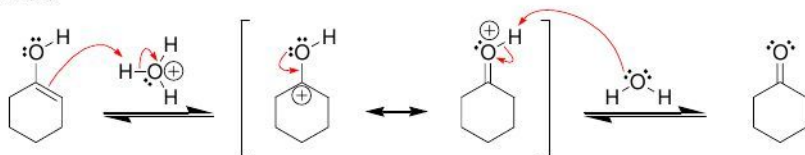


### Solutions

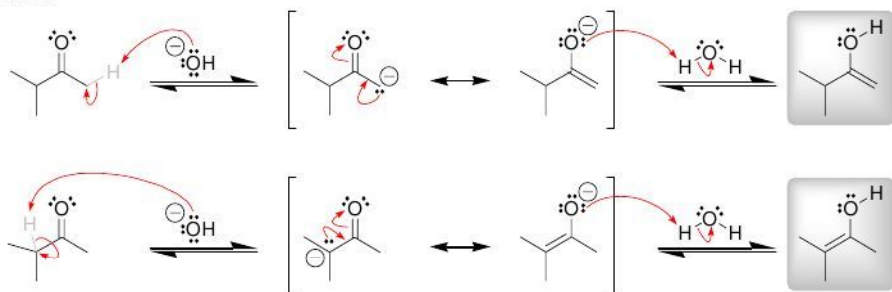
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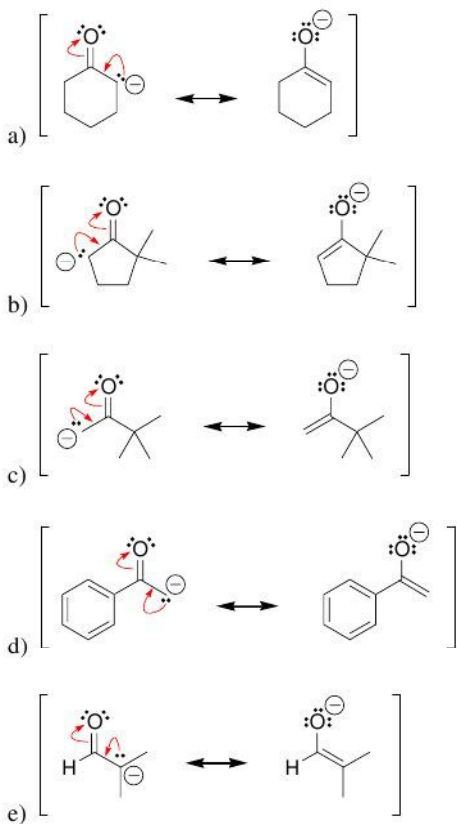
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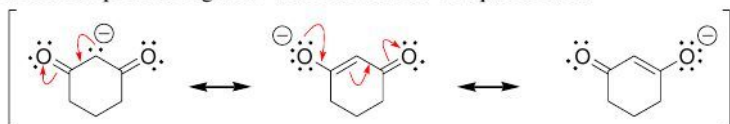


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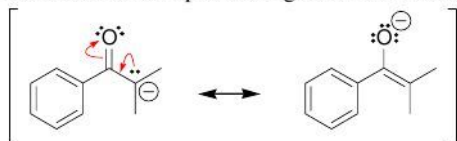
a) This anion is a doubly stabilized enolate ion, so there will not be a substantial amount of ketone present together with the enolate at equilibrium:



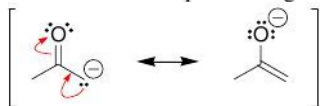
b) This anion is a regular enolate ion (not doubly stabilized), so there will be a substantial amount of ketone present together with the enolate at equilibrium:



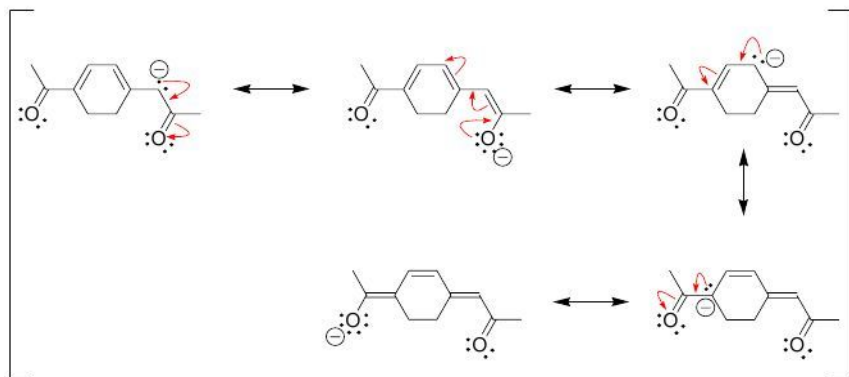
c) This anion is a regular enolate ion (not doubly stabilized), so there will be a substantial amount of ketone present together with the enolate at equilibrium:



d) This anion is a regular enolate ion (not doubly stabilized), so there will be a substantial amount of ketone present together with the enolate at equilibrium:



**22.7.** This anion is highly stabilized by resonance. The negative charge is spread over two oxygen atoms (just like a doubly stabilized enolate) and three carbon atoms:



**22.8.**

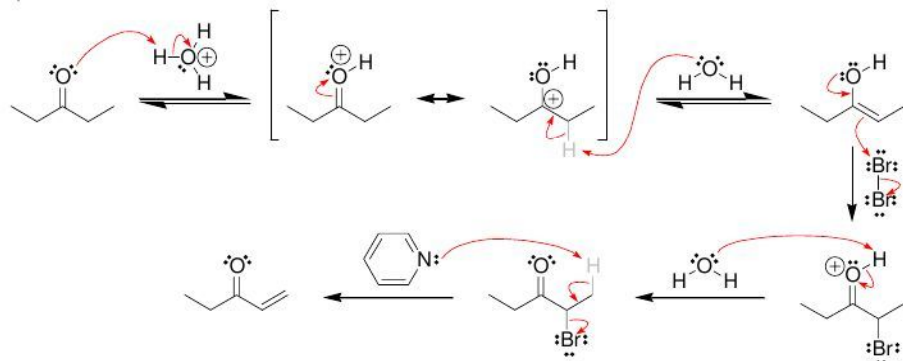
a) 2,4-dimethyl-3,5-heptanedione is more acidic because its conjugate base is a doubly stabilized enolate. The other compound (4,4-dimethyl-3,5-heptanedione) cannot form a doubly stabilized enolate because there are no protons connected to the carbon atom that is in between both carbonyl groups.

b) 1,3-cyclopentanedione is more acidic because its conjugate base is a doubly stabilized enolate. The other compound (1,2-cyclopentanedione) cannot form a doubly stabilized enolate because the carbonyl groups are adjacent to each other.

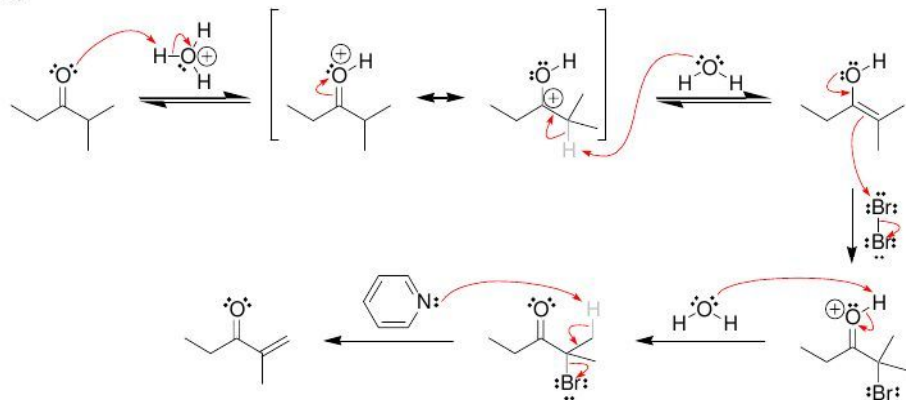
c) Acetophenone is more acidic than benzaldehyde because the former has alpha protons and the latter does not.

**22.9.**

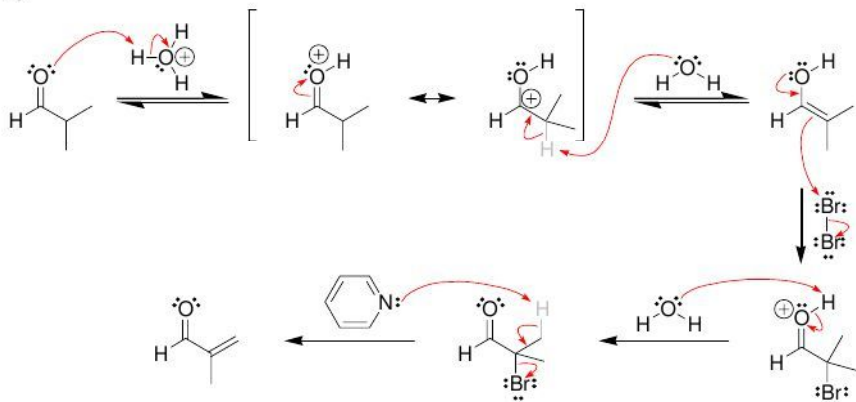
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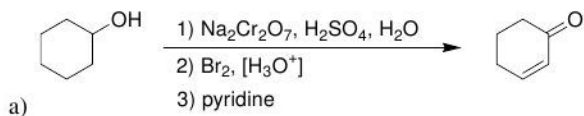
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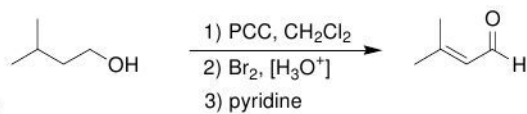
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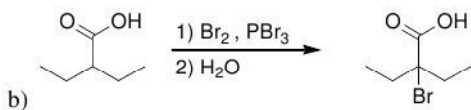
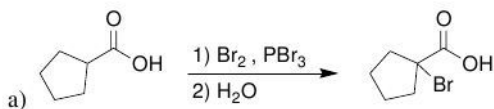
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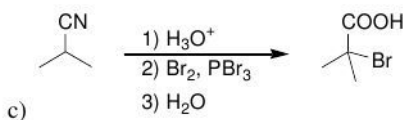
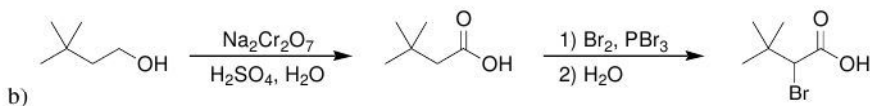
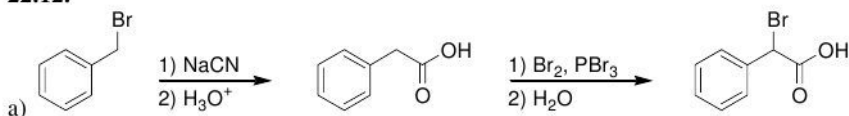
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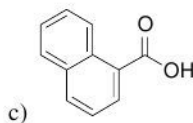
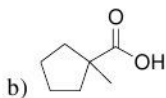
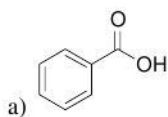
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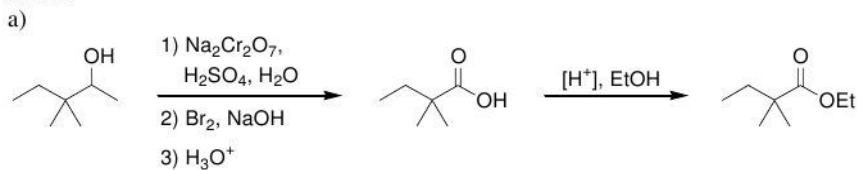
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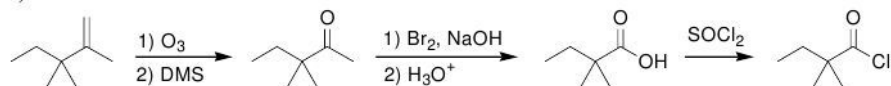
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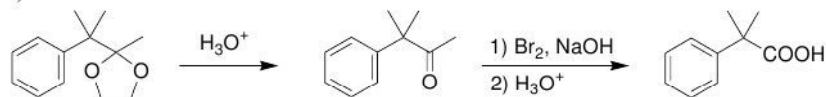
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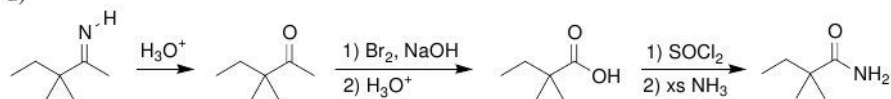
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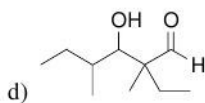
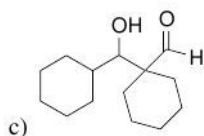
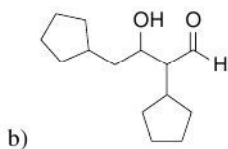
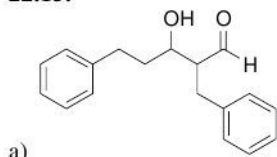
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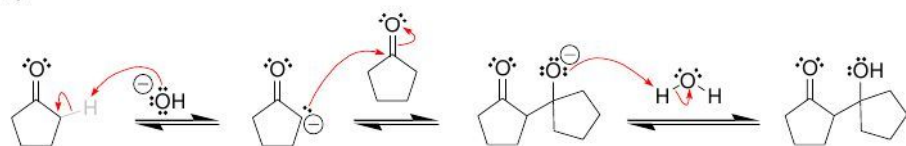


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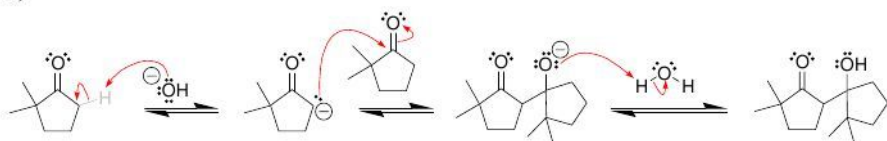


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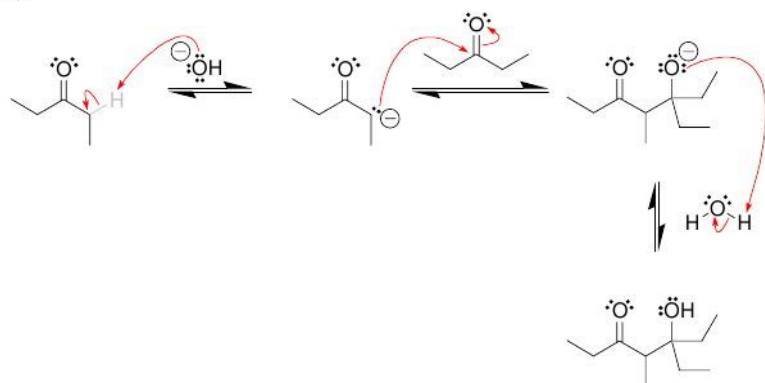
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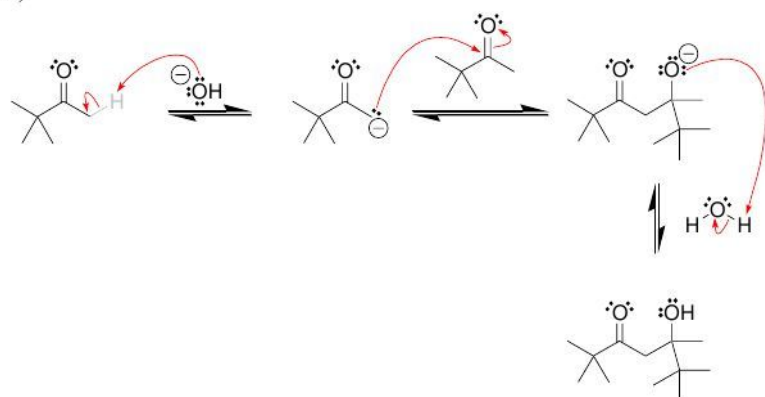
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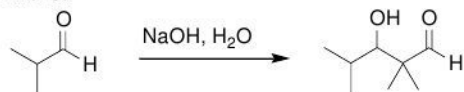


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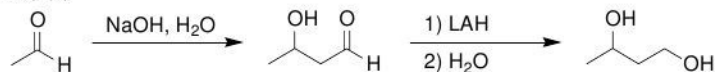


**22.17.** The first step of an aldol addition reaction is deprotonation at the  $\alpha$  position, but this compound has no  $\alpha$  protons.

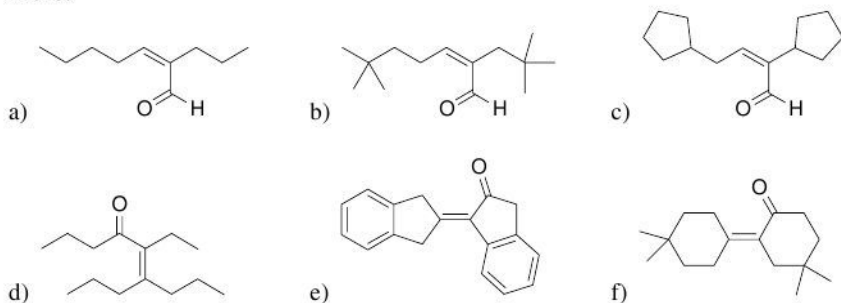
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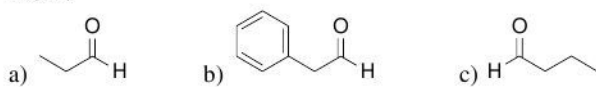
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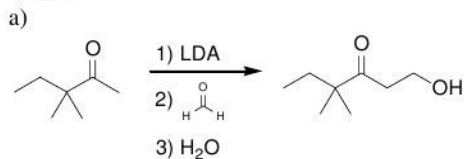
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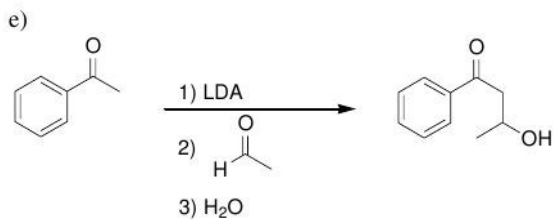
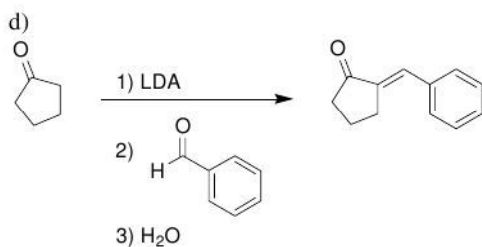
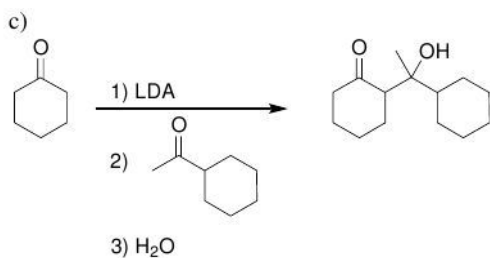
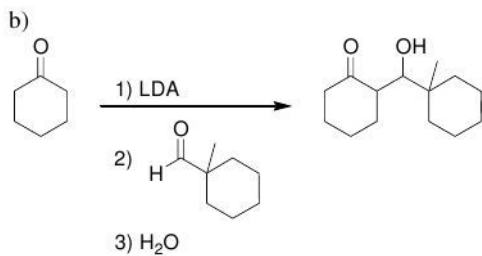
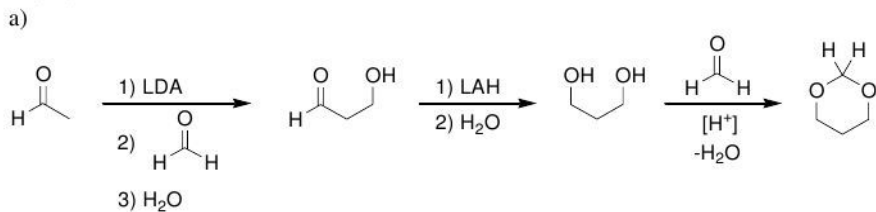


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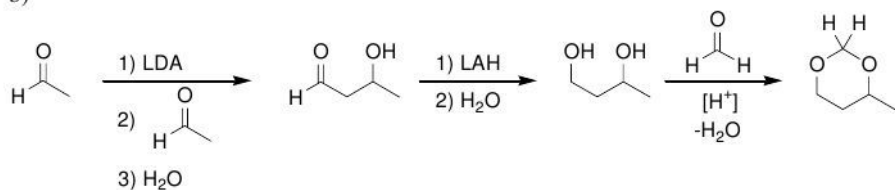
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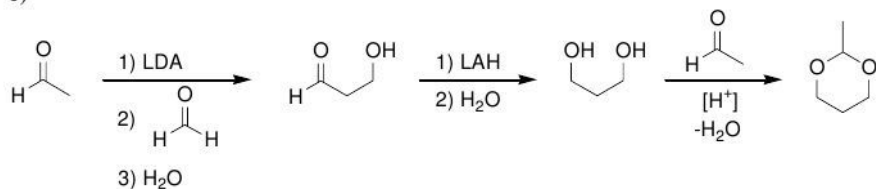
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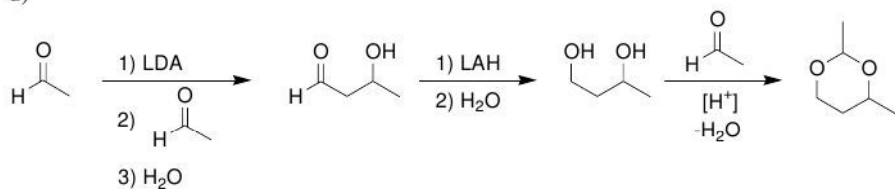
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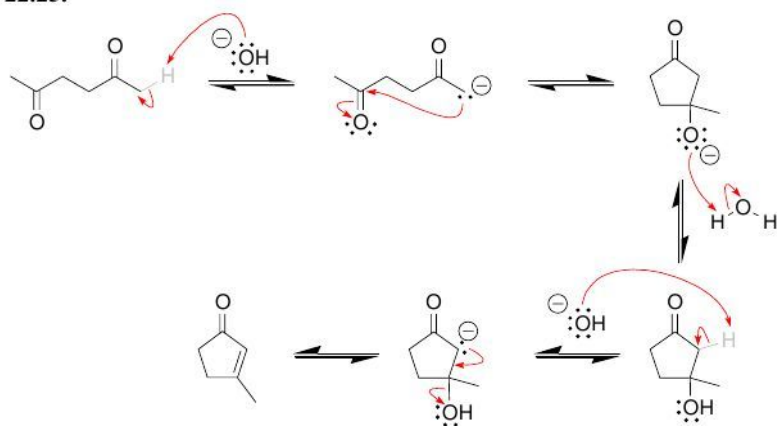
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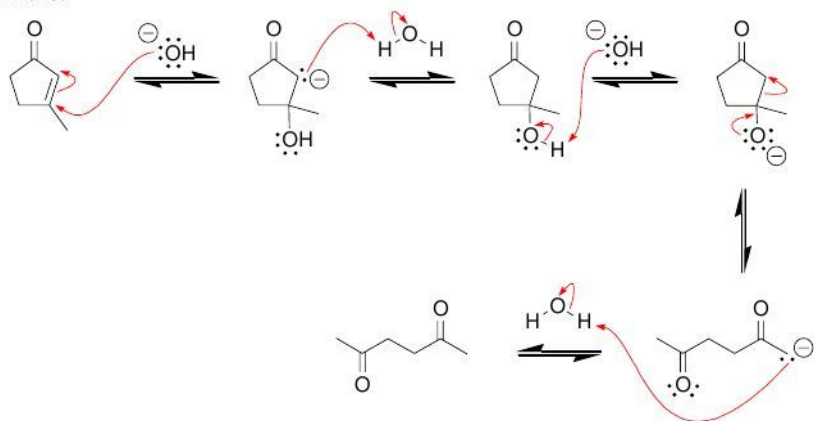
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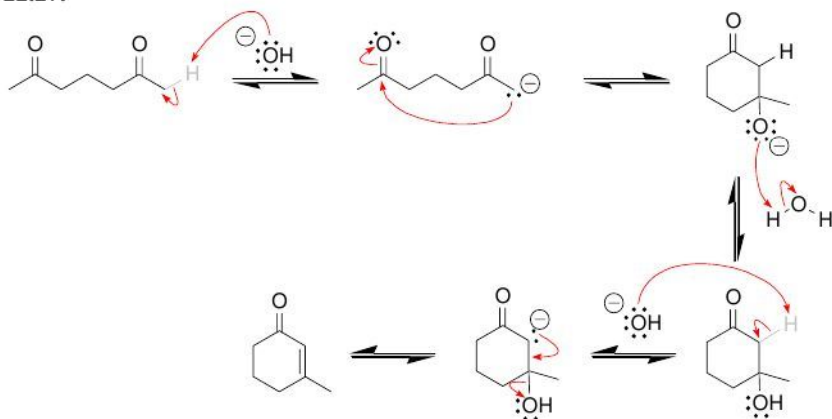
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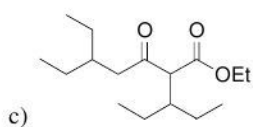
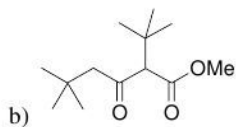
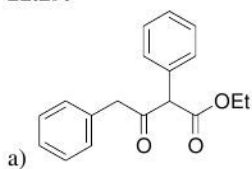


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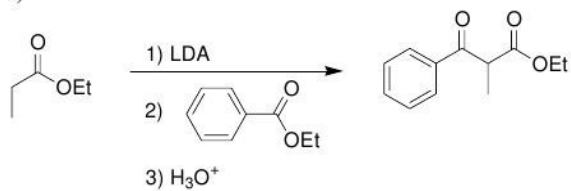
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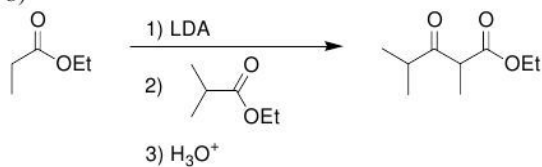


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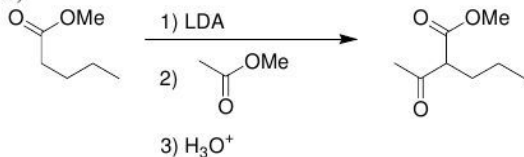
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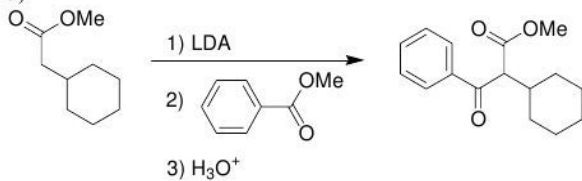
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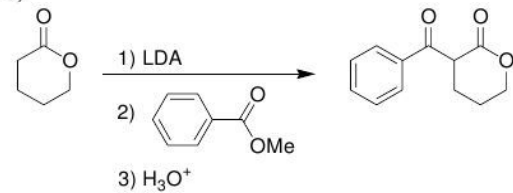
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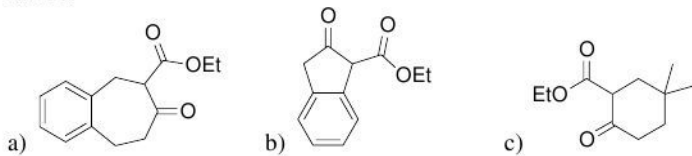
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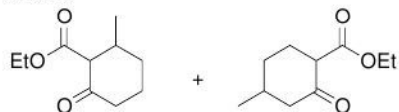
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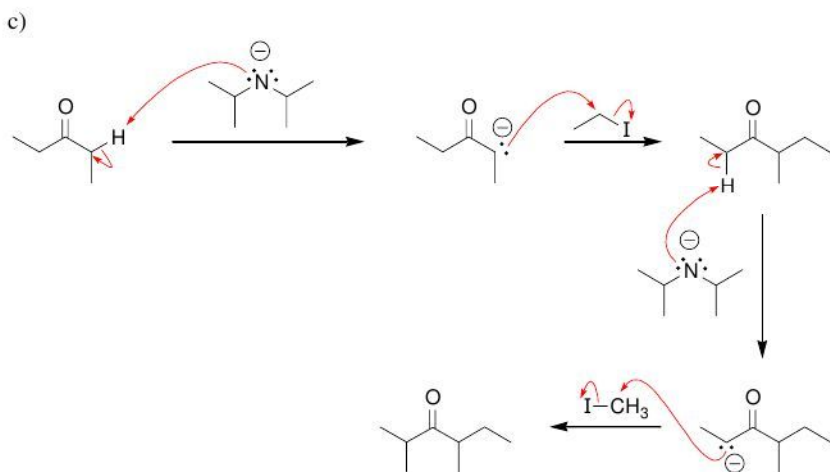
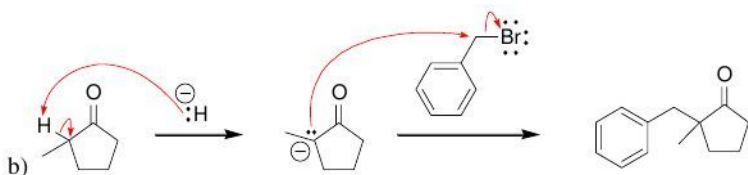
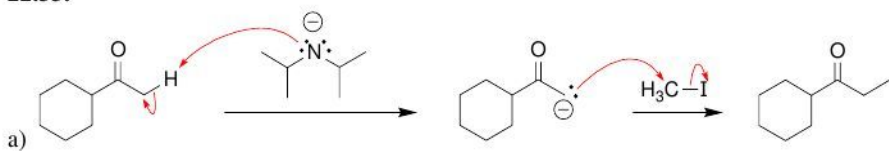
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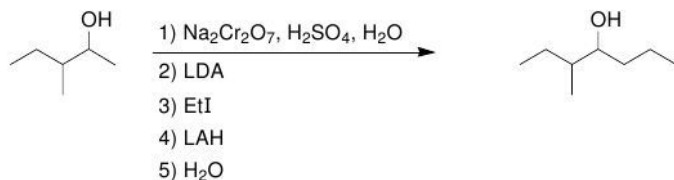
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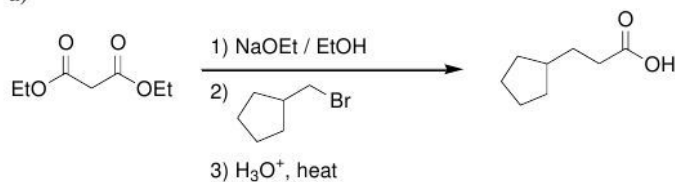


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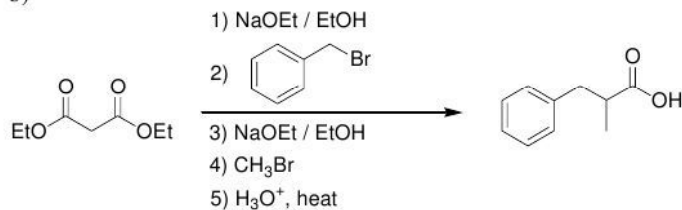


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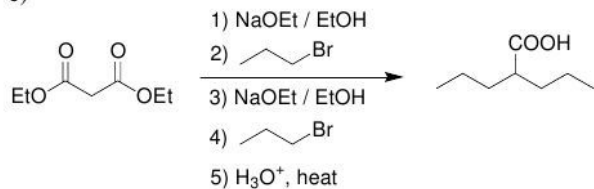
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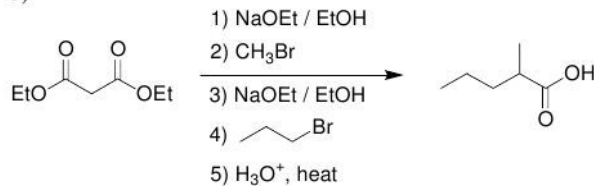
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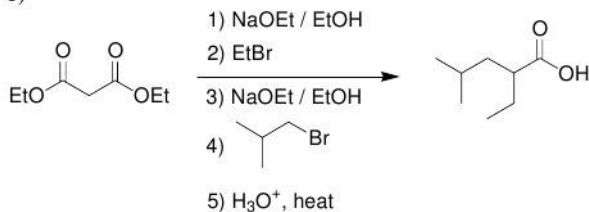
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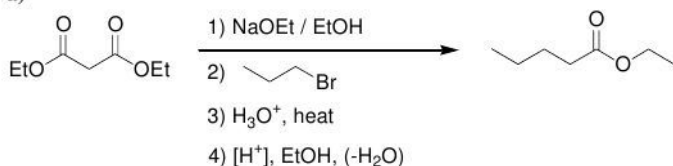
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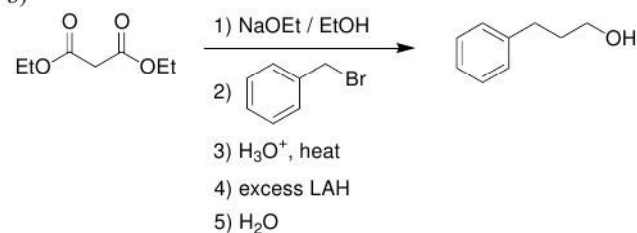
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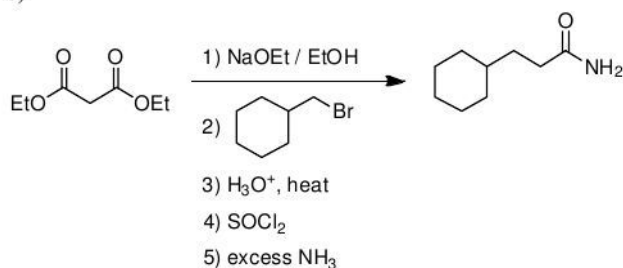
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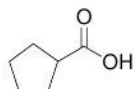


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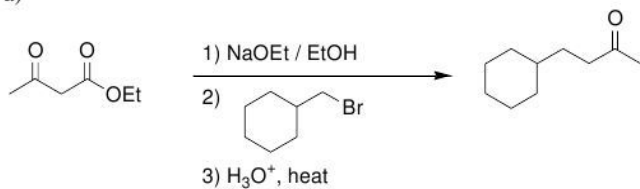
**22.37.** Preparation of the desired compound requires the installation of three alkyl groups at the alpha position. The malonic ester synthesis can only be used to install two alkyl groups because the starting material (diethyl malonate) has only two alpha protons.

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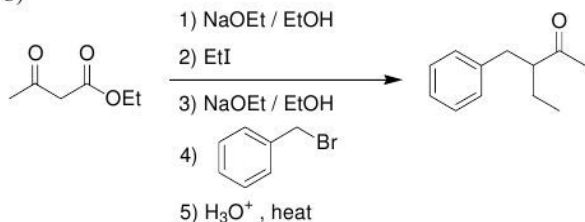


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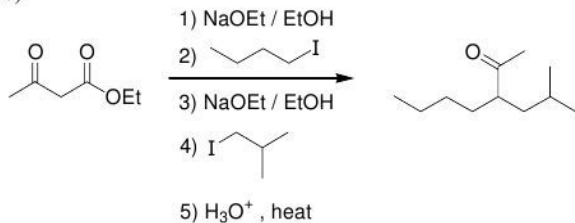
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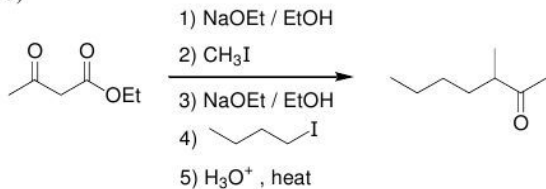
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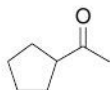
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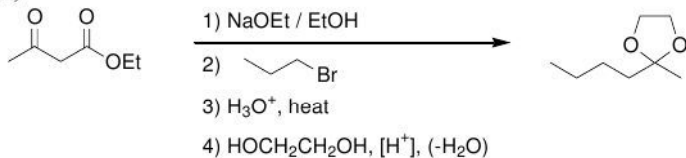


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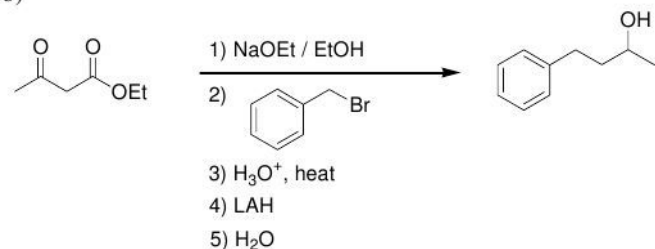


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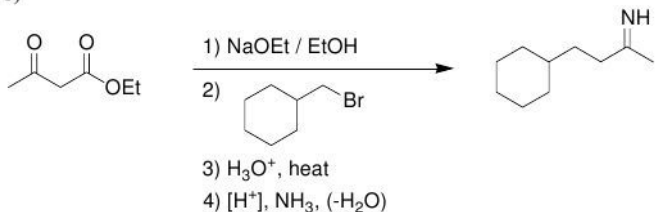
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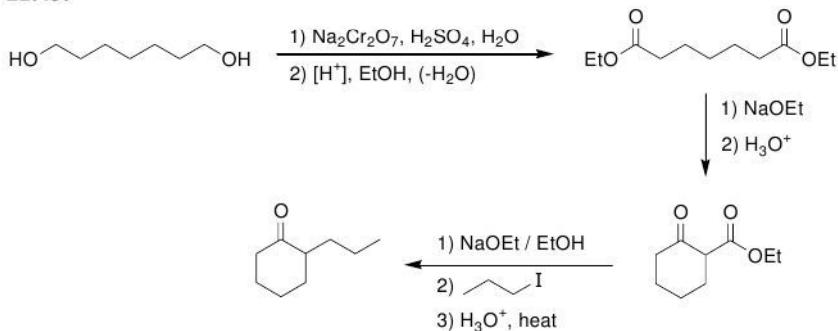


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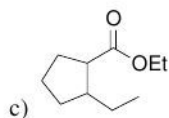
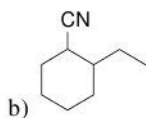
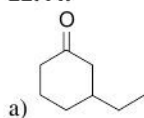
**22.42.** Preparation of the desired compound requires the installation of three alkyl groups at the alpha position. The acetoacetic ester synthesis can only be used to install two alkyl groups because the starting material (diethyl malonate) has only two alpha protons.

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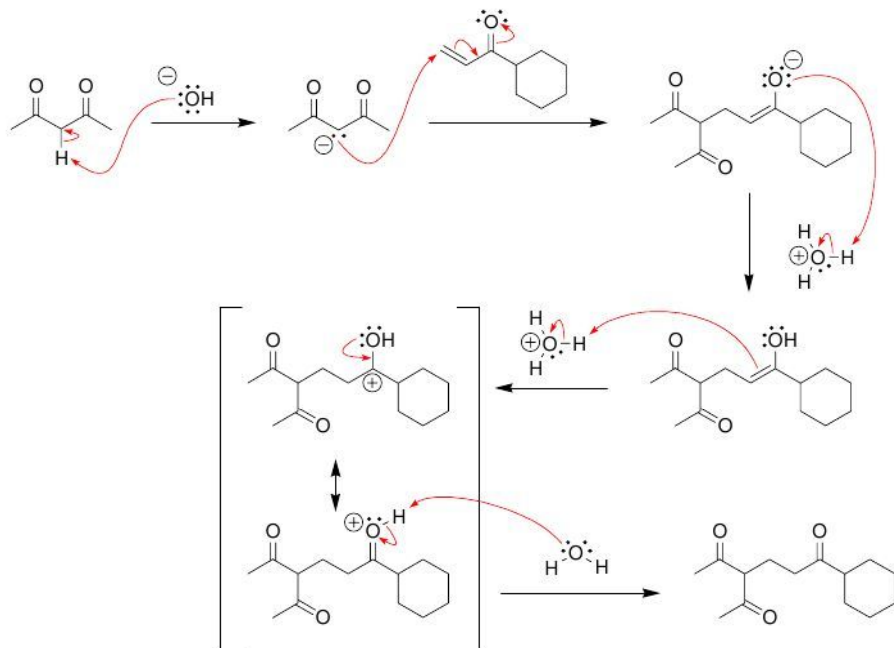




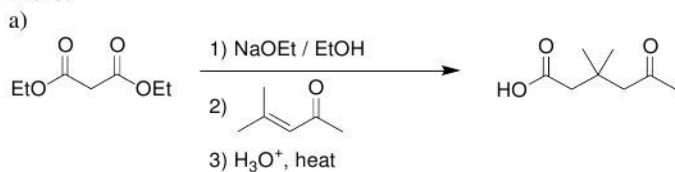
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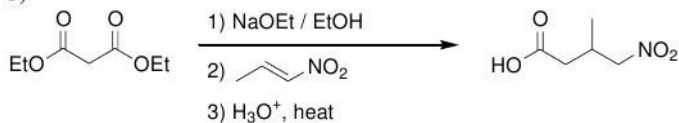
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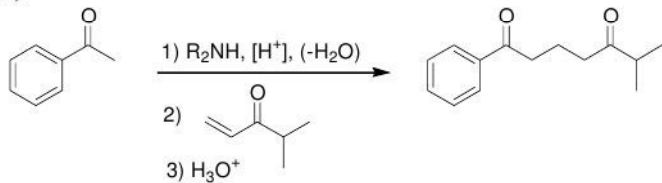
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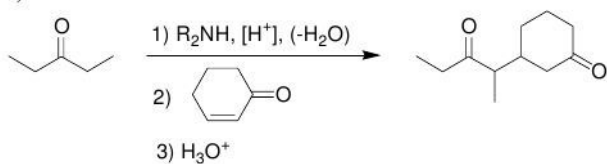
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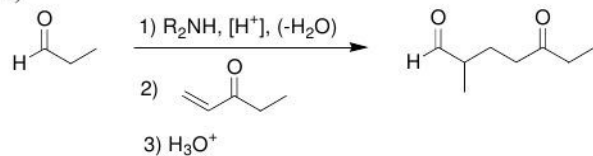
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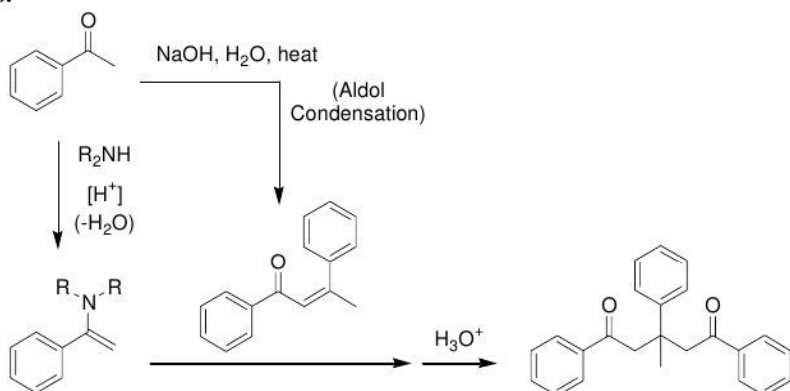
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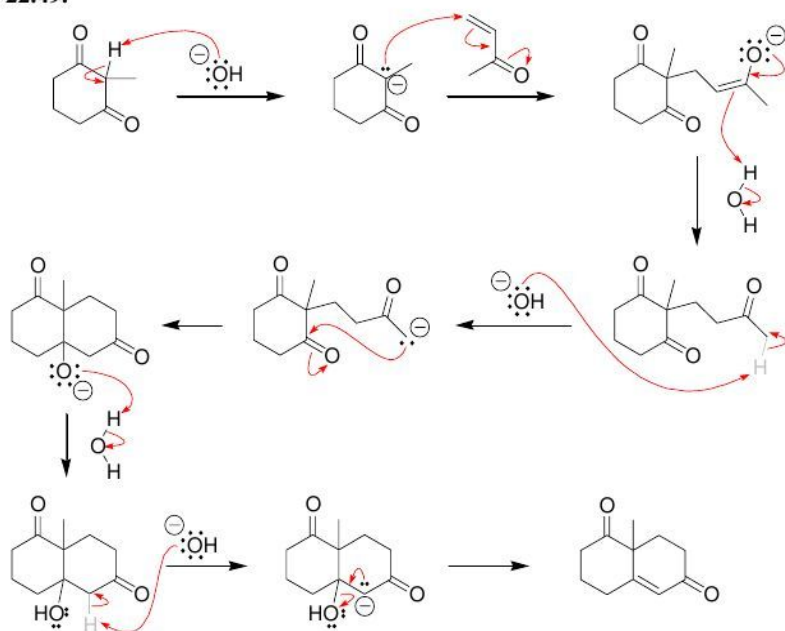
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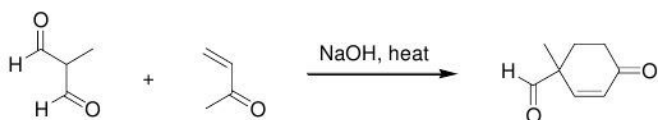
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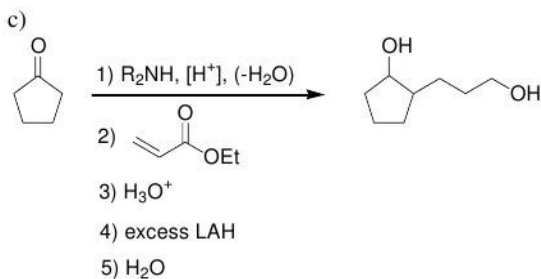
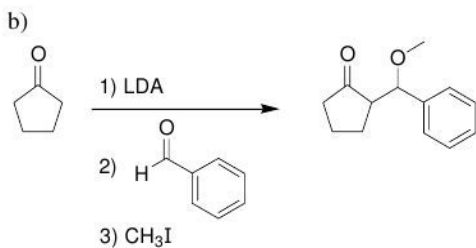
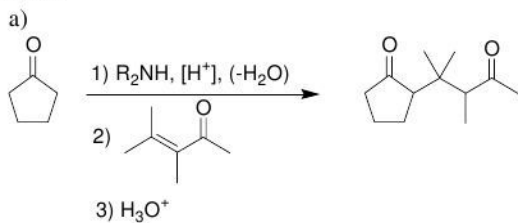
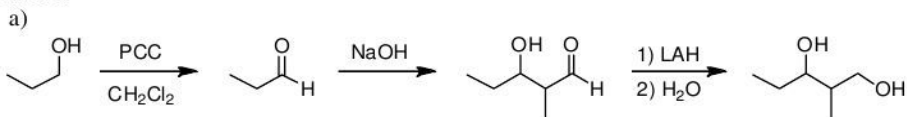


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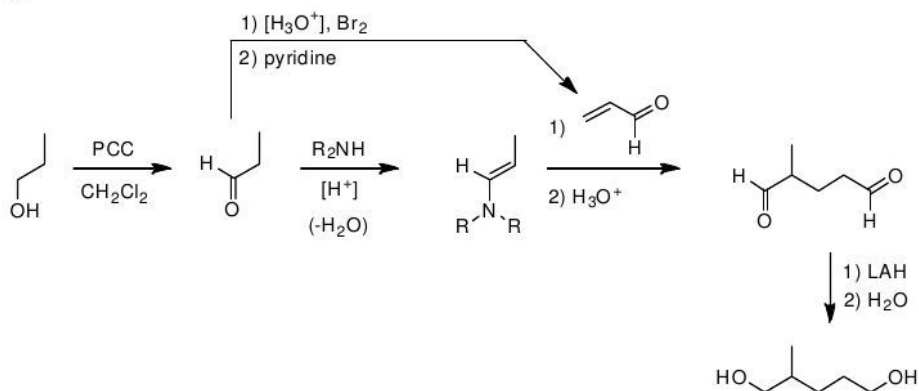


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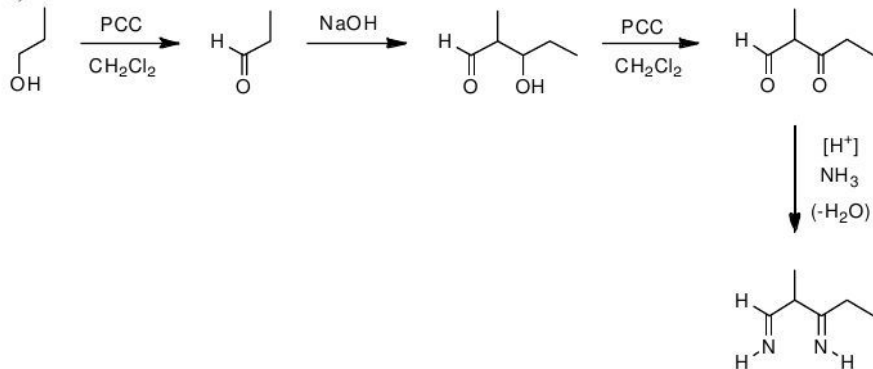


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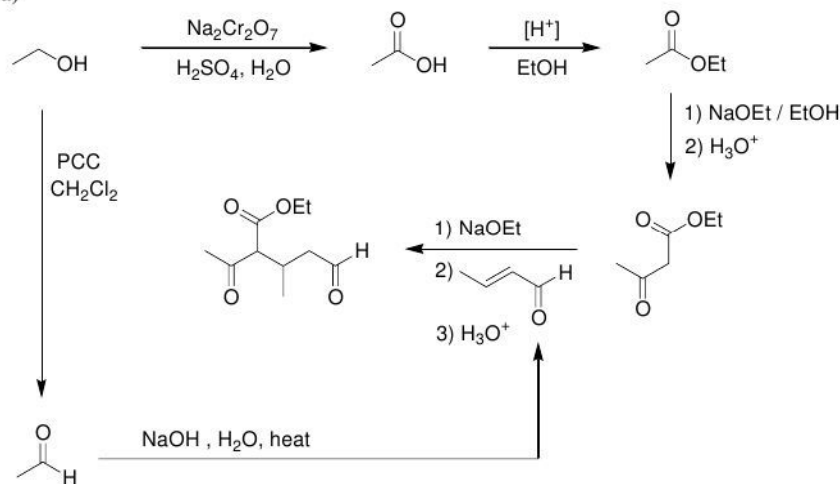


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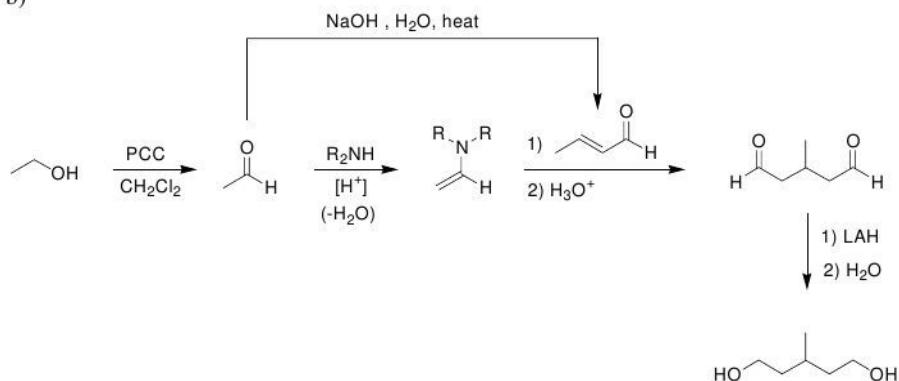


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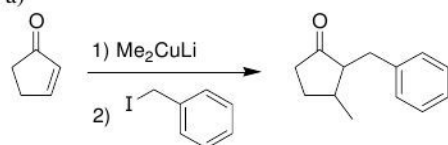


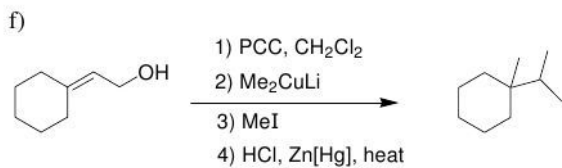
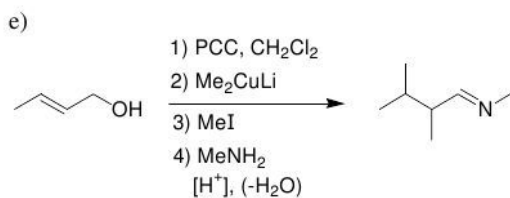
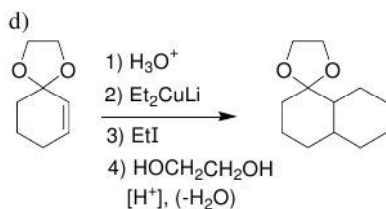
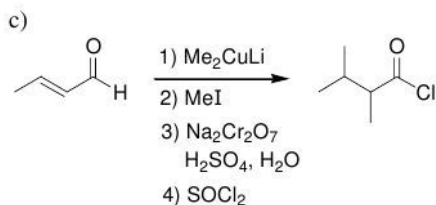
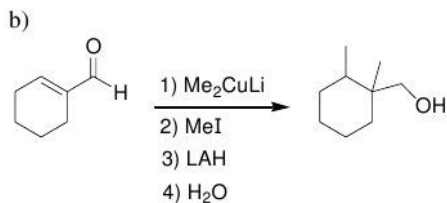
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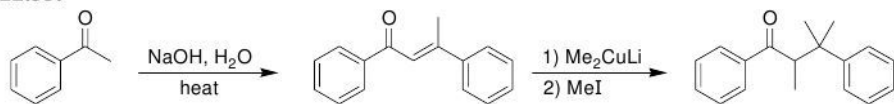
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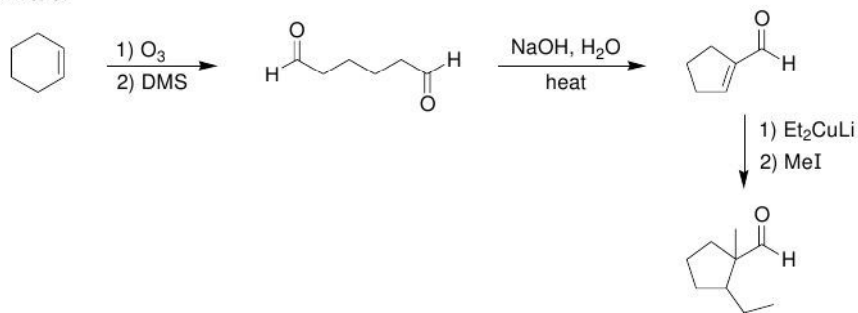




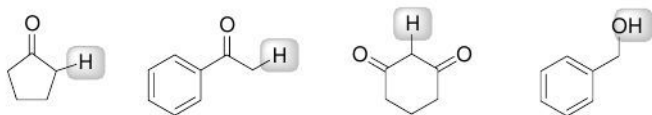
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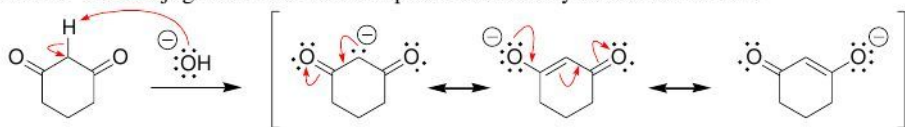
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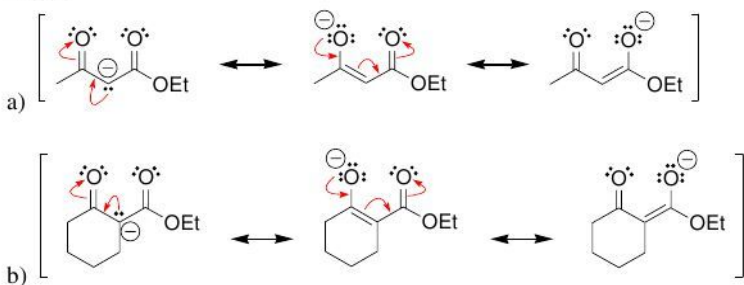
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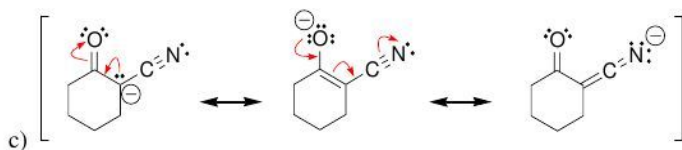
22.58. The conjugate base of this compound is a doubly stabilized enolate.



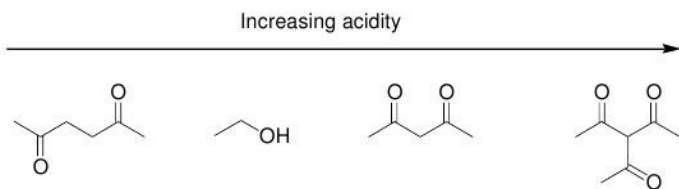
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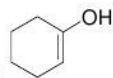


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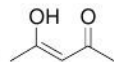


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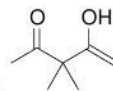
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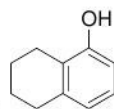
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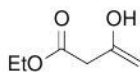
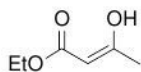
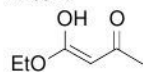
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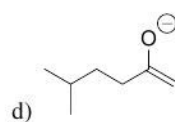
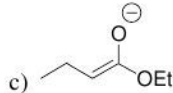
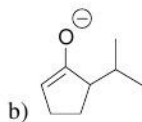
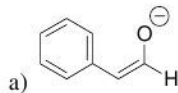
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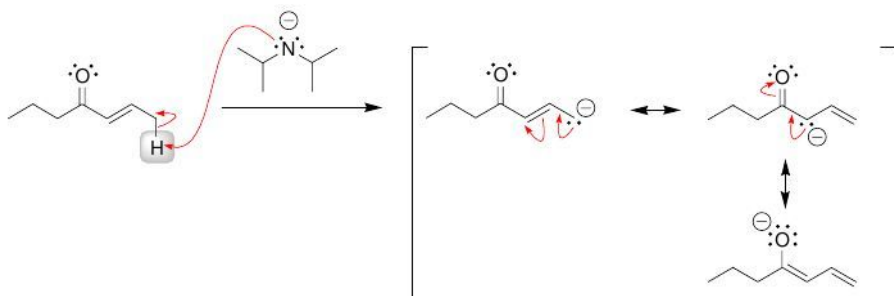
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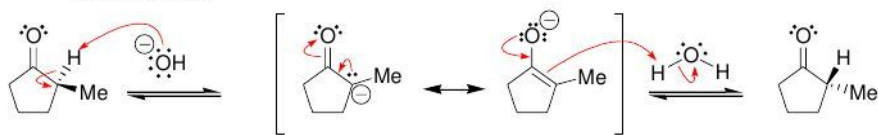
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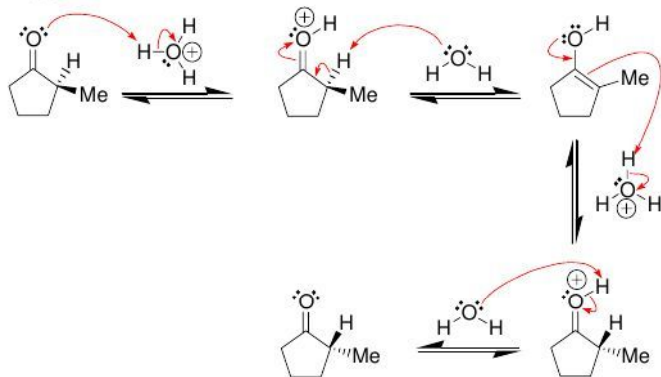
- 22.64.** Deprotonation at the following  $\gamma$ -position results in an anion that has three resonance structures. The negative charge is spread over one oxygen atom and two carbon atoms:



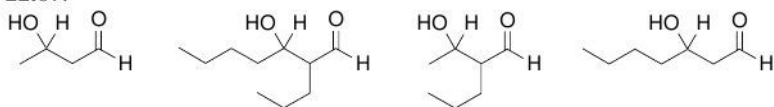
- 22.65.** Deprotonation at the  $\alpha$  carbon changes the hybridization state of the  $\alpha$  carbon from  $sp^3$  (tetrahedral) to  $sp^2$  (planar). When the  $\alpha$  position is protonated once again, the proton can be placed on either side of the planar  $\alpha$  carbon, resulting in racemization:



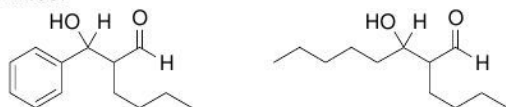
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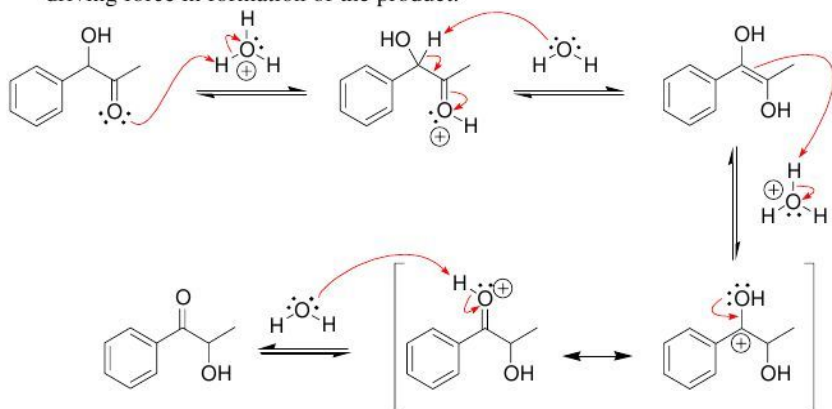
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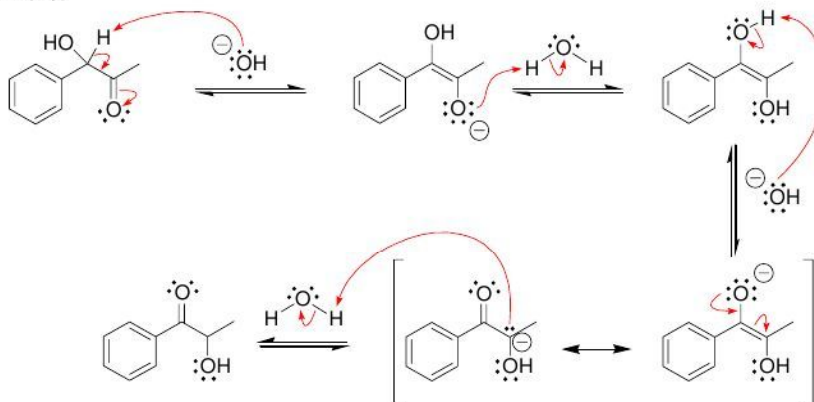
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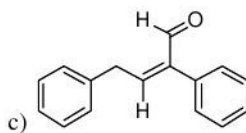
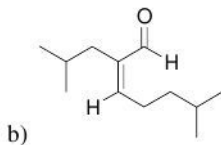
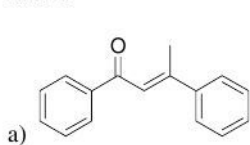
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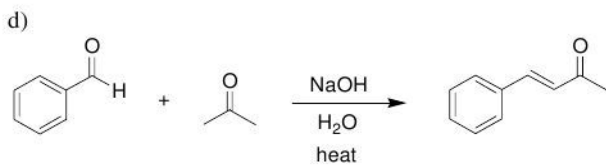
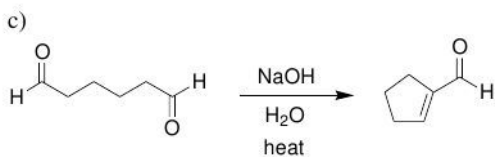
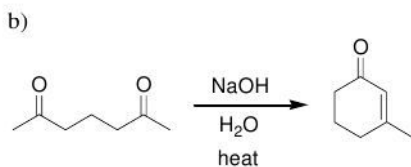
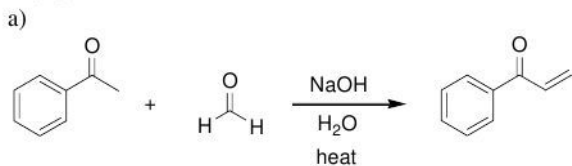
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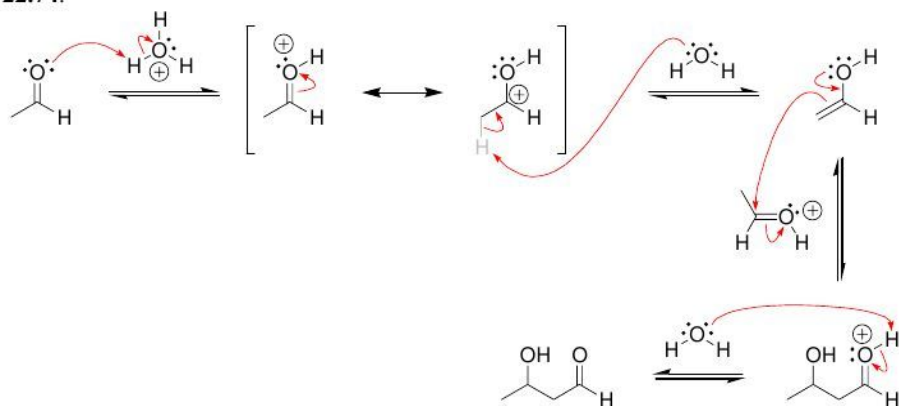
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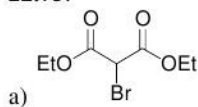
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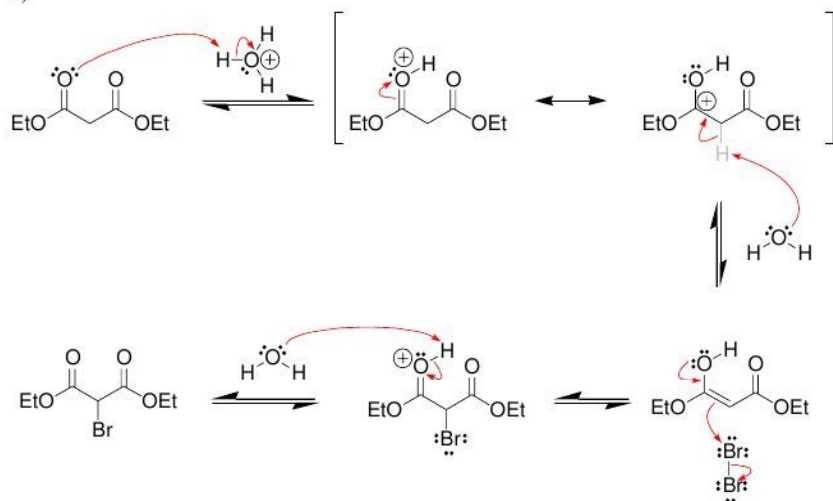
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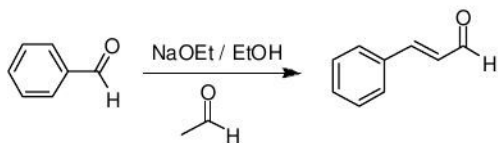


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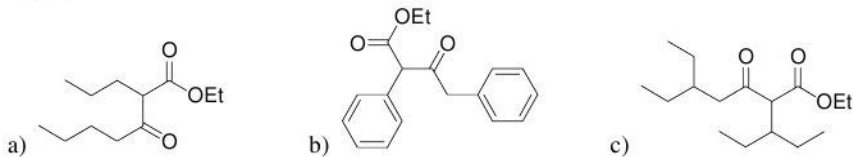


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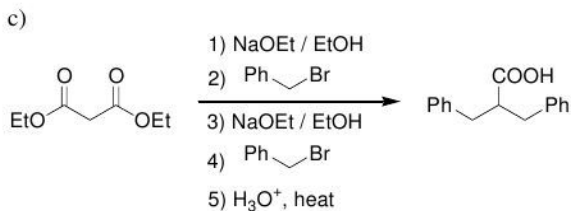
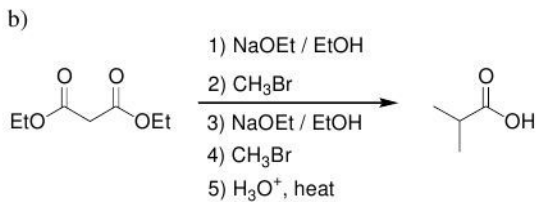
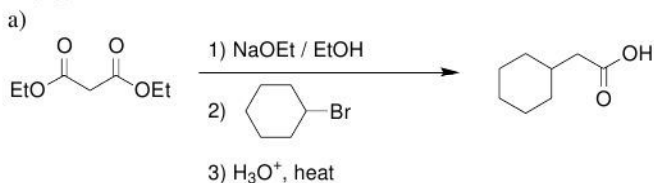
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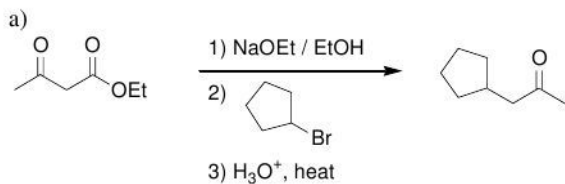
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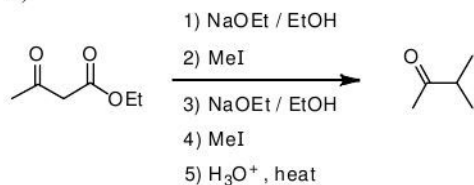
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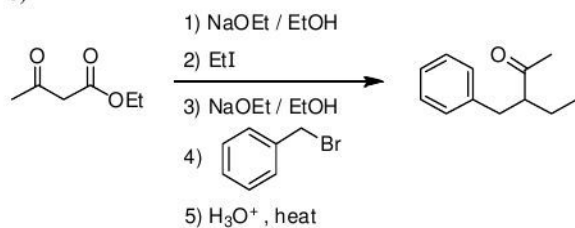
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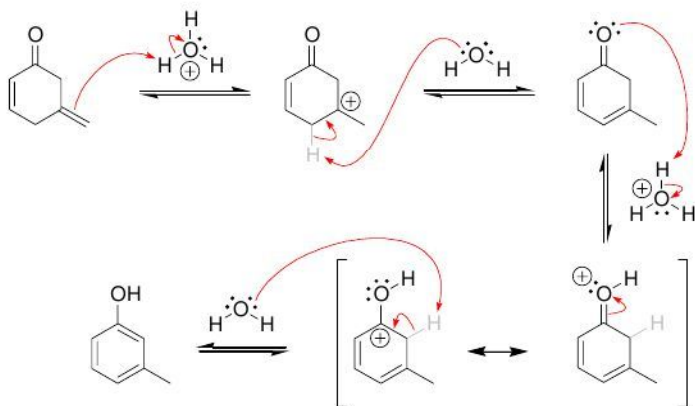
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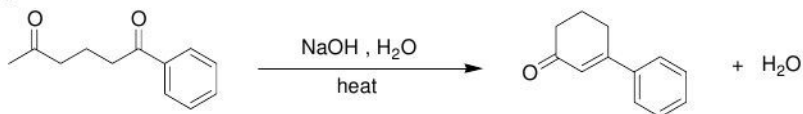
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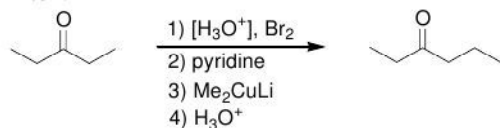
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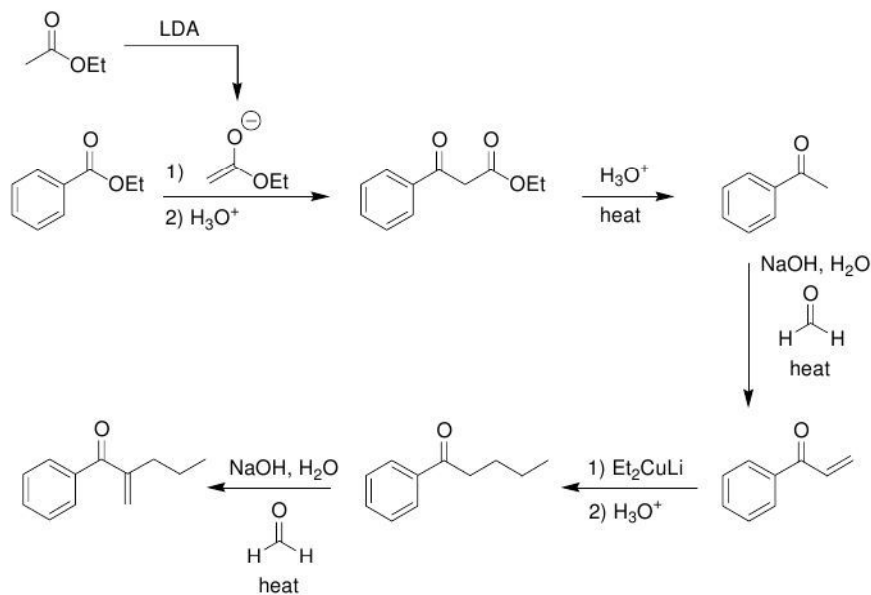
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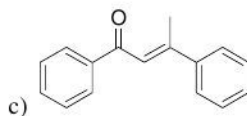
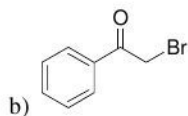
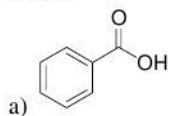
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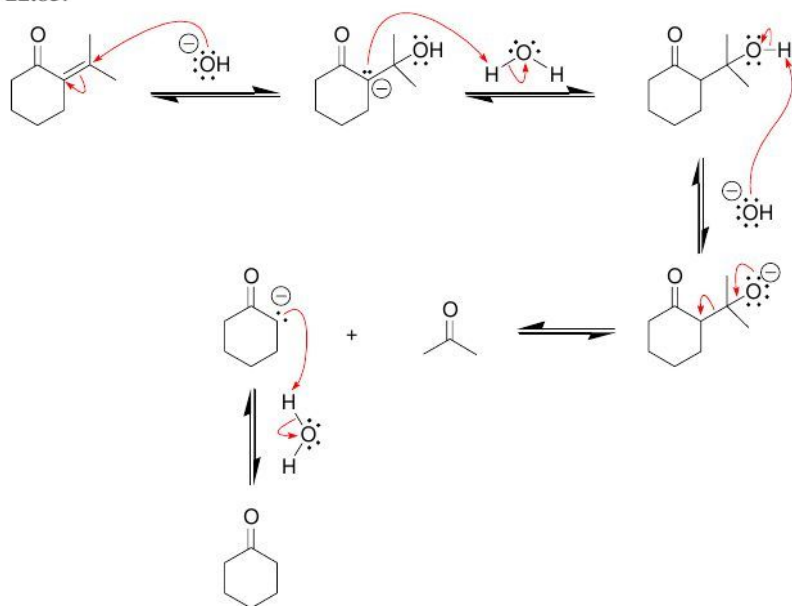


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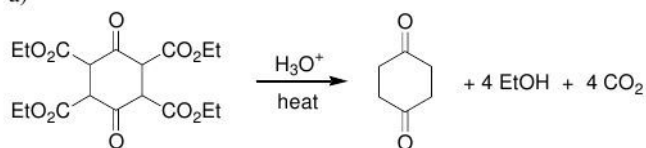


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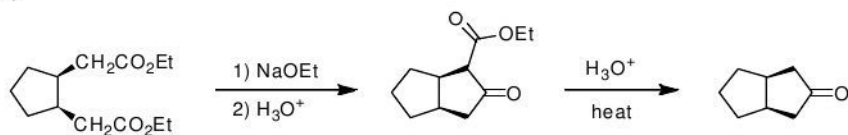


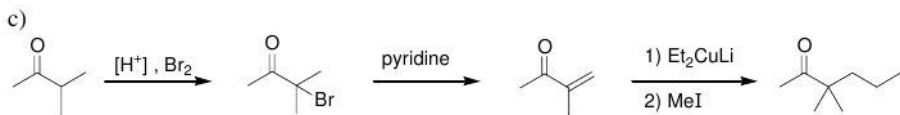
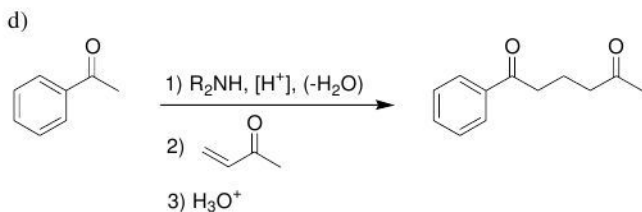
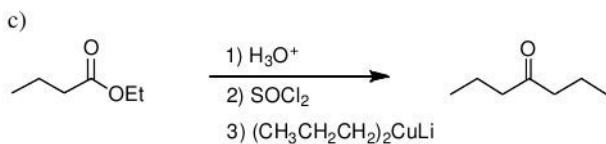
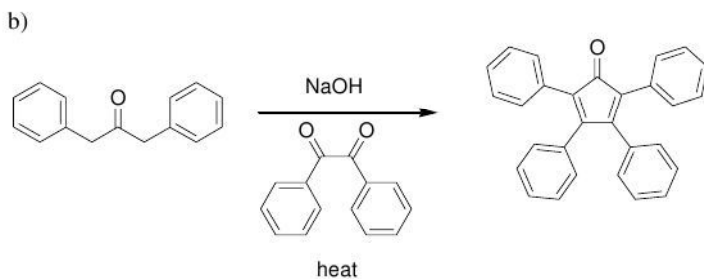
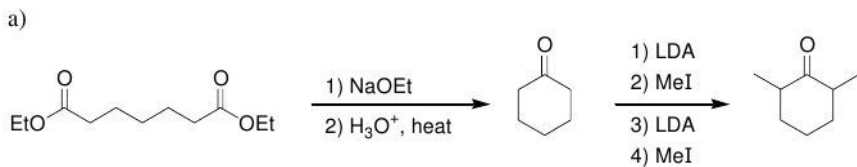
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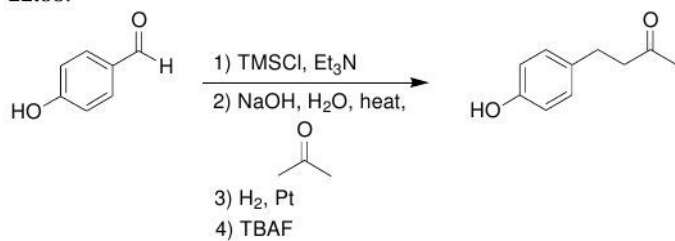


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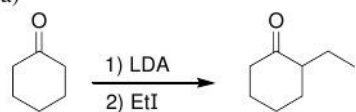
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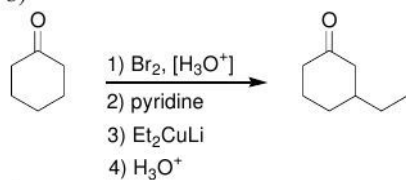


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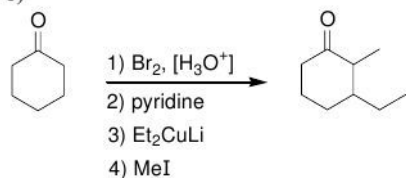
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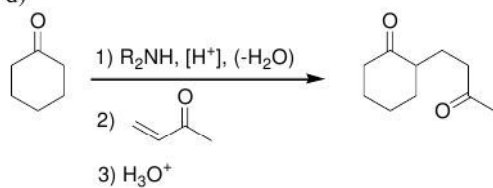
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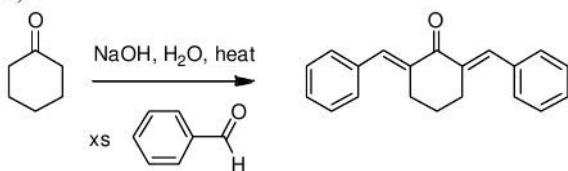
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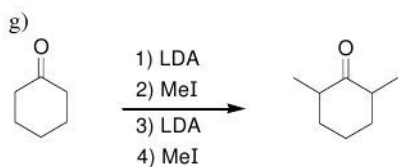
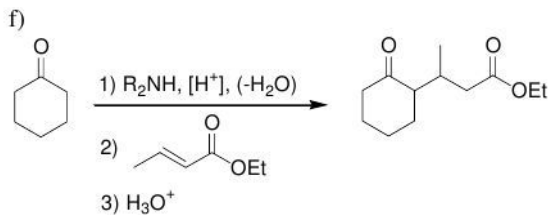


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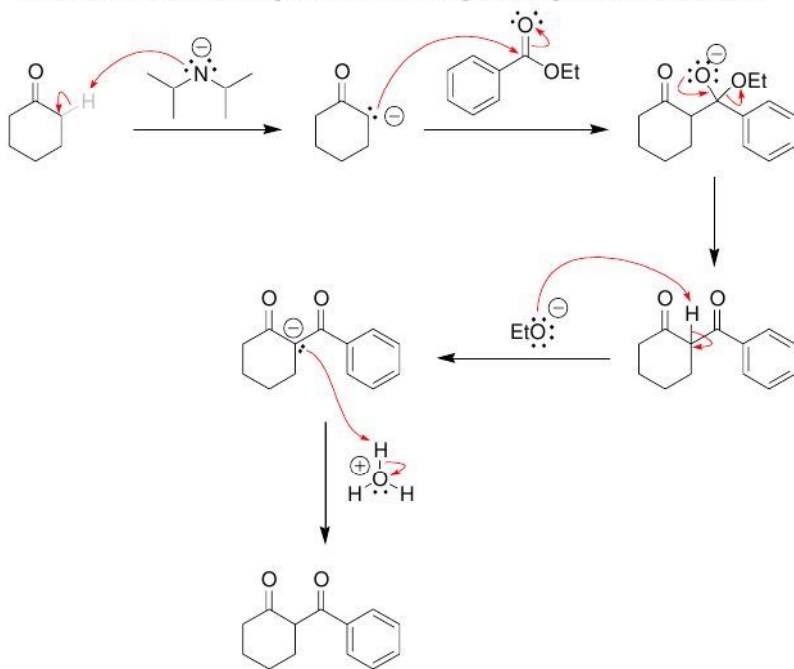


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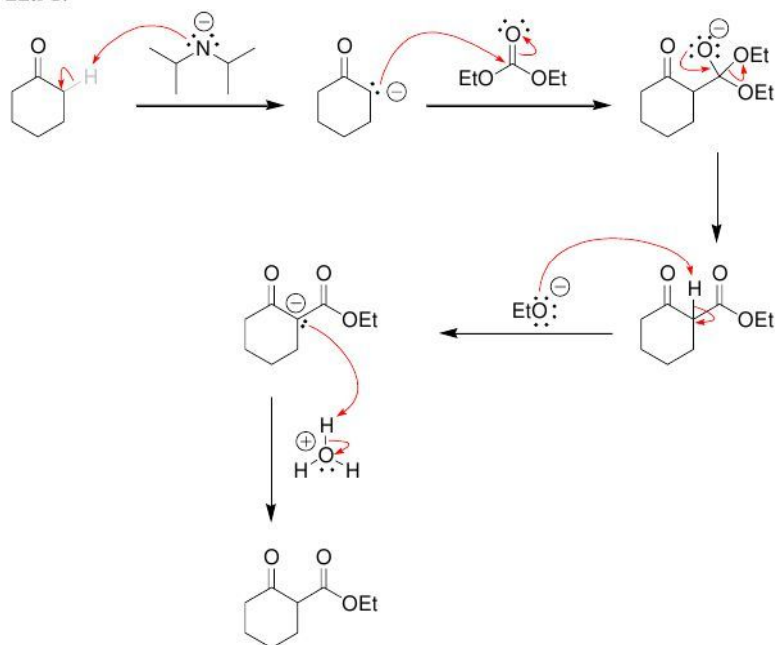




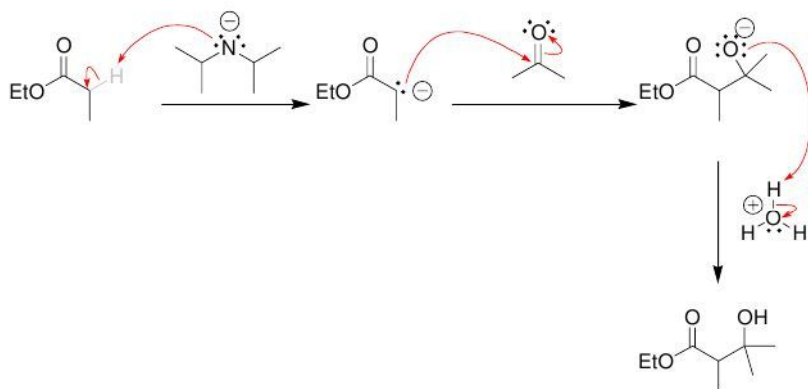
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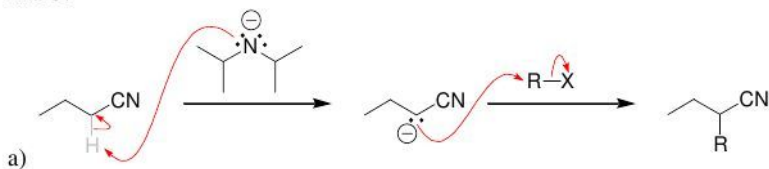
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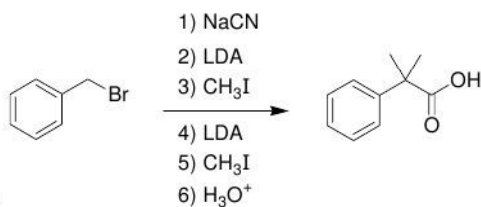
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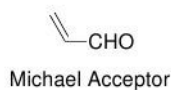
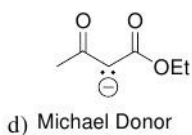
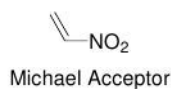
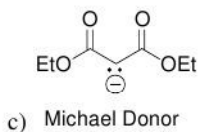
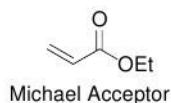
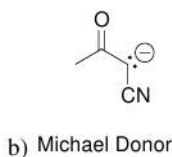
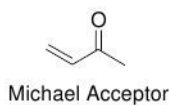
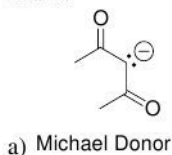
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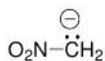


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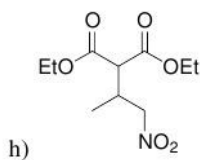
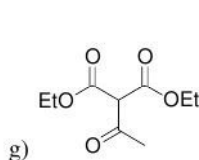
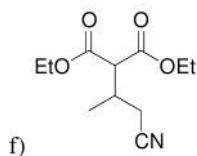
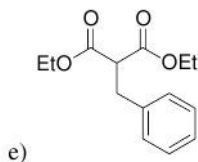
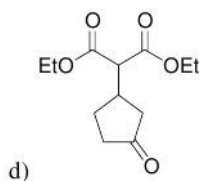
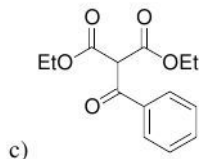
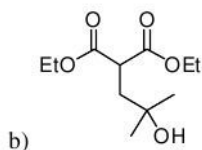
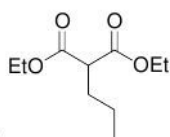


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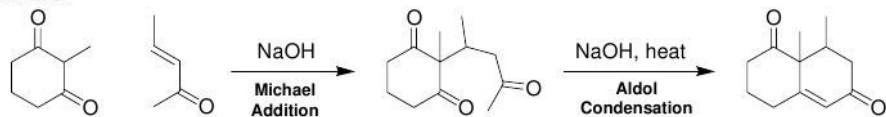


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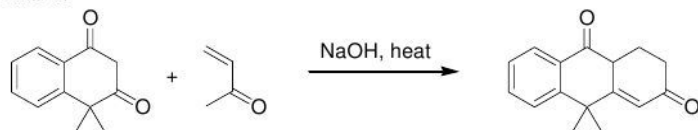
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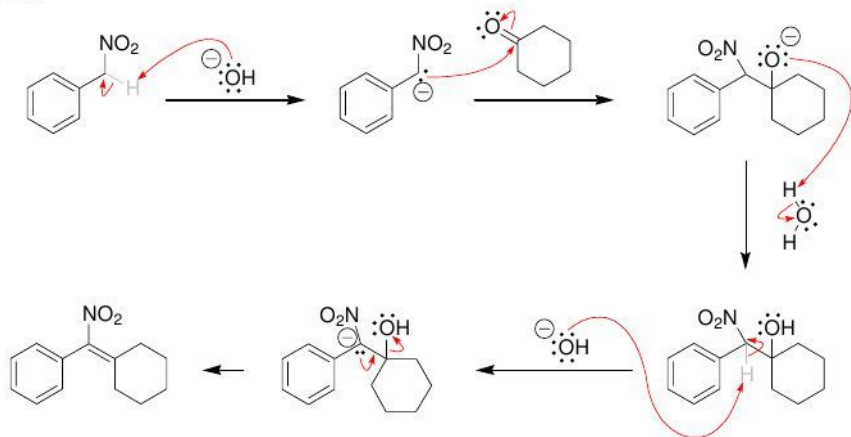
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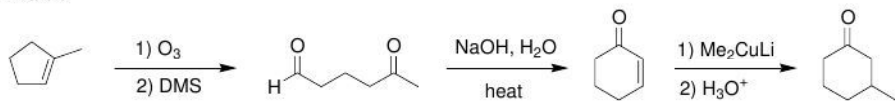
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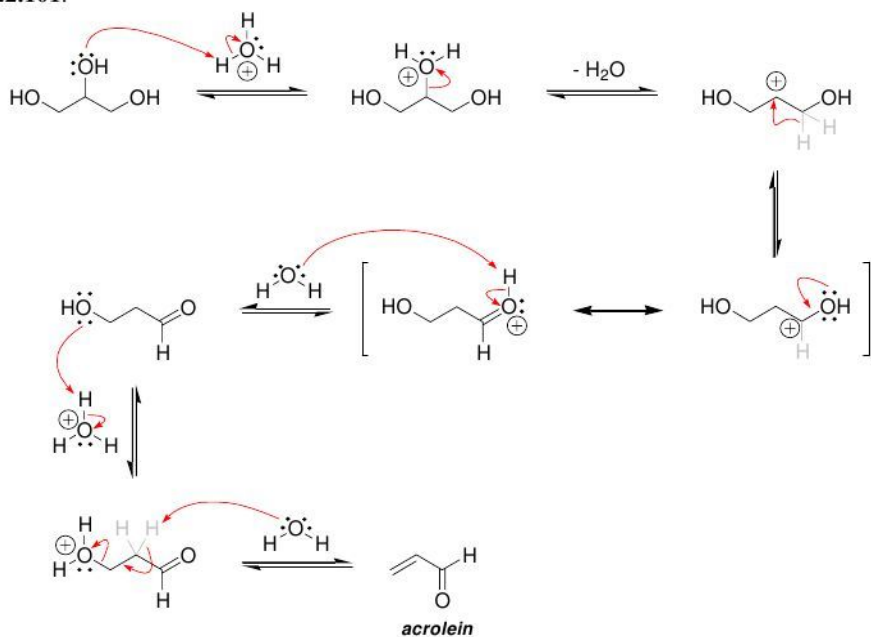
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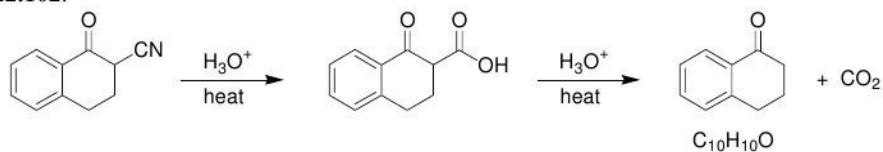
**22.100.** A ketone generally produces a strong signal at approximately  $1720\text{ cm}^{-1}$  ( $\text{C}=\text{O}$  stretching), while an alcohol produces a broad signal between  $3200$  and  $3600\text{ cm}^{-1}$  ( $\text{O}-\text{H}$  stretching). These regions of an IR spectrum can be inspected to determine whether the ketone or the enol predominates.



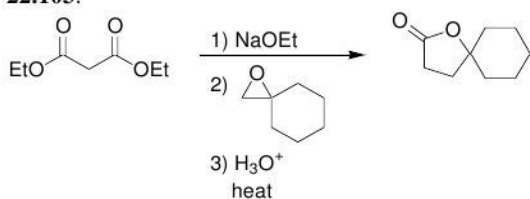
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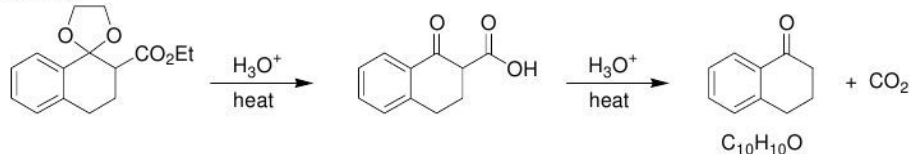
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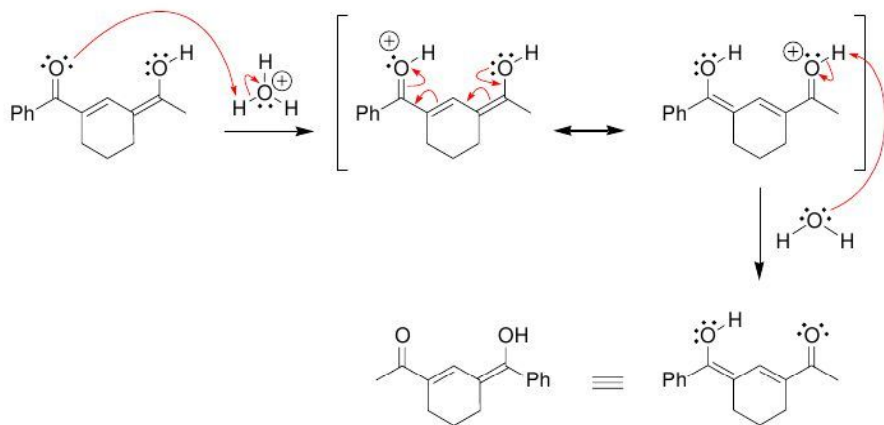
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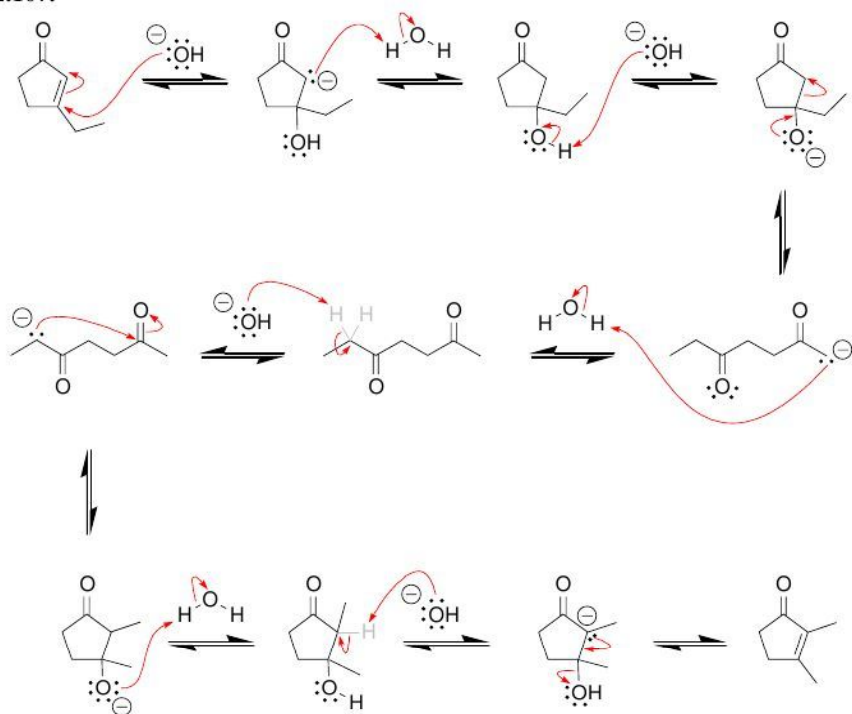
## 22.105.

When treated with aqueous acid, both compound A and compound B undergo racemization at the  $\alpha$  position (via the enol as an intermediate, see problem 22.65). Each of these compounds establishes an equilibrium between *cis* and *trans* isomers. But the position of equilibrium is very different for compound A than it is for compound B. The equilibrium for compound A favors a *cis* configuration, because that is the configuration for which the compound can adopt a chair conformation in which both groups occupy equatorial positions. The equilibrium for compound B favors a *trans* configuration, because that is the configuration for which that compound can adopt a chair conformation in which both groups occupy equatorial positions.

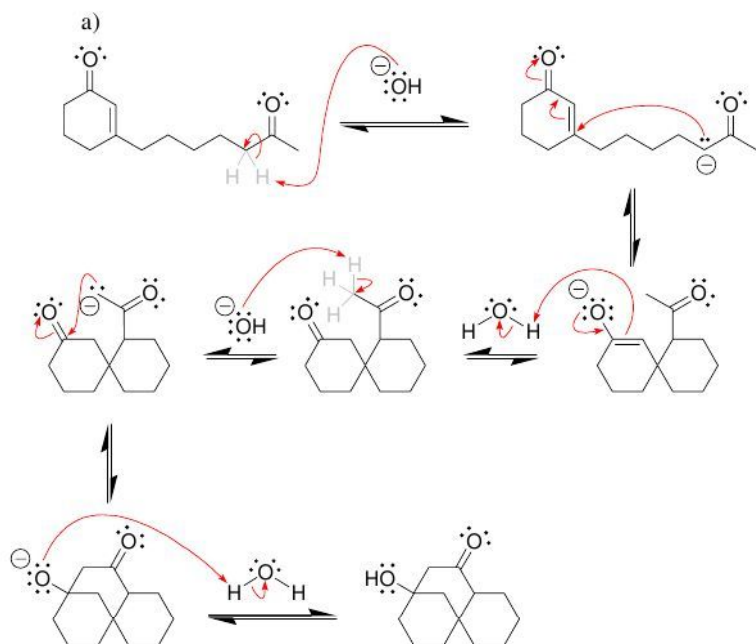
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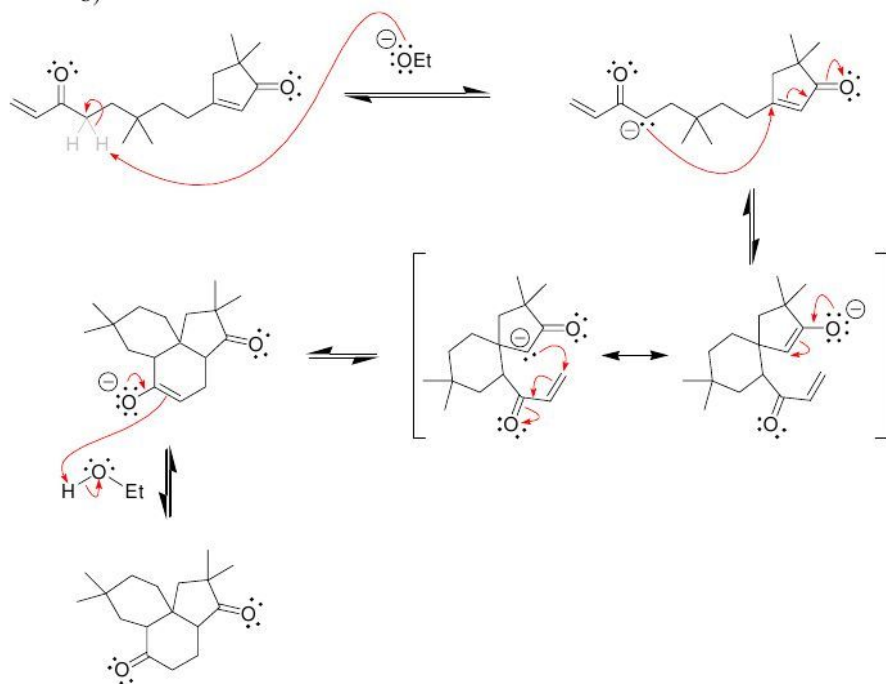
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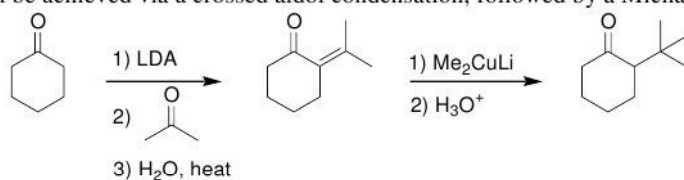
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**22.109.** Direct alkylation would require performing an  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$  reaction on a tertiary substrate, which will not occur. Instead the enolate would function as a base and E2 elimination would be observed instead of  $\text{S}_{\text{N}}2$ . The desired transformation can be achieved via a crossed aldol condensation, followed by a Michael addition:



# Chapter 23

## Amines

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 23. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

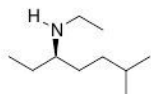
- Amines are \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, or \_\_\_\_\_, depending on the number of groups attached to the nitrogen atom.
- The lone pair on the nitrogen atom of an amine can function as a \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.
- The basicity of an amine can be quantified by measuring the  $pK_a$  of the corresponding \_\_\_\_\_.
- Aryl amines are less basic than alkyl amines, because the lone pair is \_\_\_\_\_.
- Pyridine is a stronger base than pyrrole, because the lone pair in pyrrole participates in \_\_\_\_\_.
- An amine moiety exists primarily as \_\_\_\_\_ at physiological pH.
- The **azide synthesis** involves treating an \_\_\_\_\_ with sodium azide, followed by \_\_\_\_\_.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ **synthesis** generates primary amines upon treatment of potassium phthalimide with an alkyl halide, followed by hydrolysis or reaction with  $N_2H_4$ .
- Amines can be prepared via **reductive amination**, in which a ketone or aldehyde is converted into an imine in the presence of a \_\_\_\_\_ agent, such as **sodium cyanoborohydride** ( $NaBH_3CN$ ).
- Amines react with acyl halides to produce \_\_\_\_\_.
- In the **Hofmann elimination**, an amino group is converted into a better leaving group which is expelled in an \_\_\_\_\_ process to form an \_\_\_\_\_.
- Primary amines react with a nitrosonium ion to yield a \_\_\_\_\_ **salt** in a process called **diazotization**.
- Sandmeyer reactions** utilize copper salts ( $CuX$ ), enabling the installation of a halogen or a \_\_\_\_\_ group.
- In the **Schiemann reaction**, an aryl diazonium salt is converted into a fluorobenzene by treatment with \_\_\_\_\_.
- Aryldiazonium salts react with activated aromatic rings in a process called \_\_\_\_\_ **coupling**, to produce colored compounds called \_\_\_\_\_ **dyes**.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ **cycle** is a ring that contains atoms of more than one element.
- Pyrrole undergoes electrophilic aromatic substitution reactions, which occur primarily at C\_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

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### 23.1 Naming an Amine

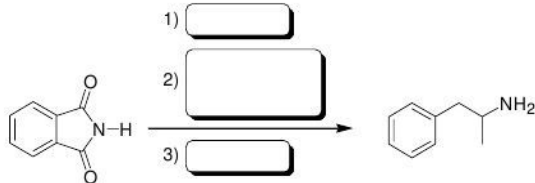
PROVIDE A SYSTEMATIC NAME FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPOUND



- 1) IDENTIFY THE PARENT
- 2) IDENTIFY AND NAME SUBSTITUENTS
- 3) ASSIGN LOCANTS TO EACH SUBSTITUENT
- 4) ALPHABETIZE
- 5) ASSIGN CONFIGURATION

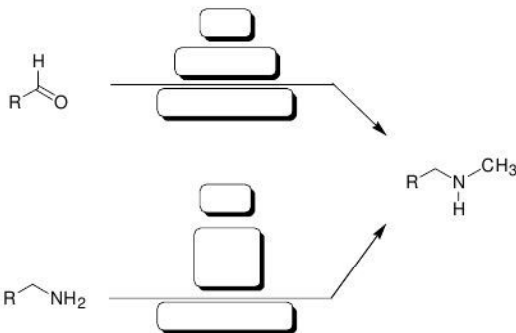
### 23.2 Preparing a Primary Amine via the Gabriel Reaction

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



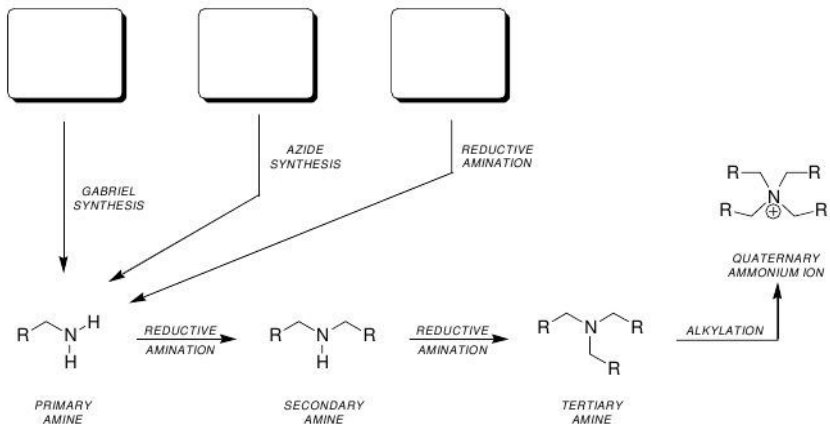
### 23.3 Preparing an Amine via a Reductive Amination

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATIONS:



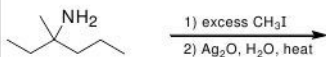
## 23.4 Synthesis Strategies

IDENTIFY THE REACTANT THAT IS USED AS A NUCLEOPHILE IN EACH OF THE THREE PROCESSES SHOWN BELOW:



## 23.5 Predicting the Product of a Hofmann Elimination

PREDICT THE MAJOR PRODUCT OF THE FOLLOWING REACTION:



## 23.6 Determining the Reactants for Preparing an Azo Dye

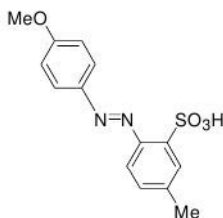
IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



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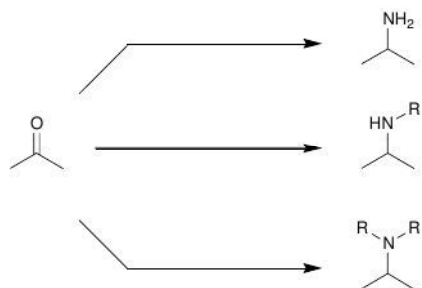
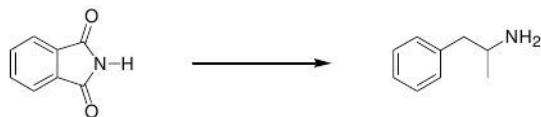
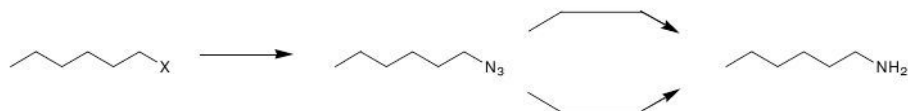
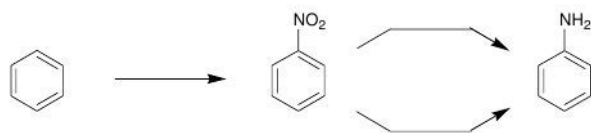
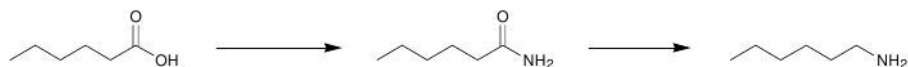
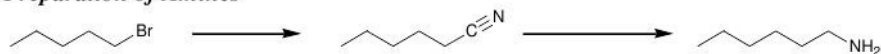


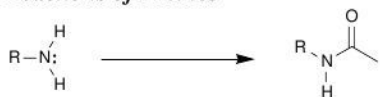
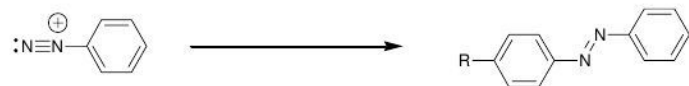
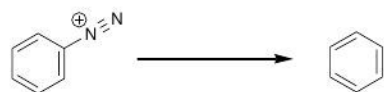
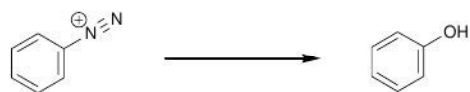
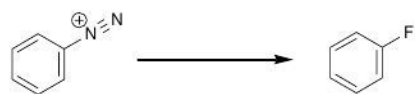
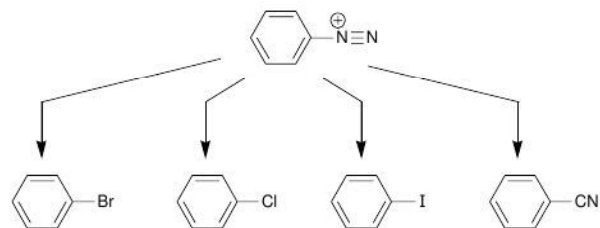


## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 23. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

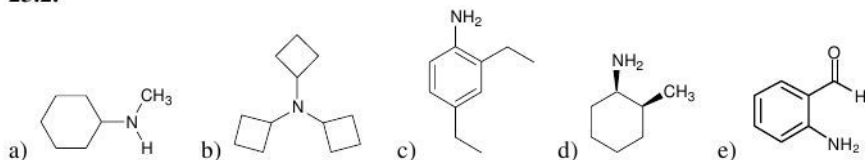
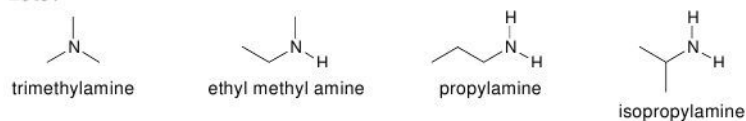
### Preparation of Amines



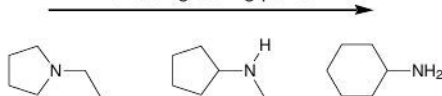
**Reactions of Amines****Reactions of Aryldiazonium Salts**

**Reactions of Nitrogen Heterocycles****Solutions****23.1.**

- a) 3,3-dimethyl-1-butanamine
- b) cyclopentylamine
- c) *N,N*-dimethylcyclopentylamine
- d) triethylamine
- e) (*1S,3R*)-3-isopropylcyclohexanamine
- f) (*1S, 3S*)-3-aminocyclohexanol

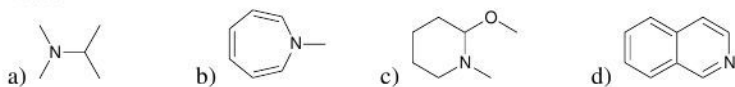
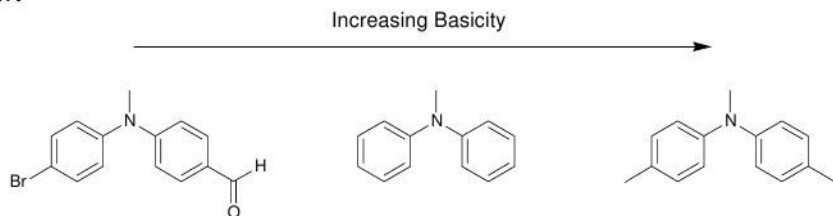
**23.2.****23.3.****23.4.**

Increasing boiling point

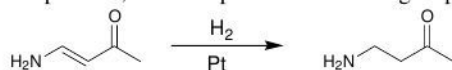
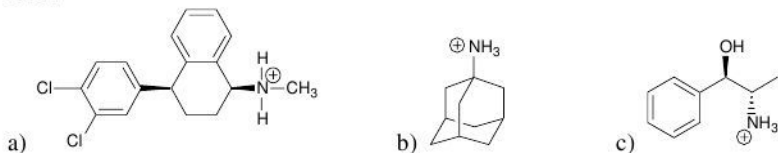
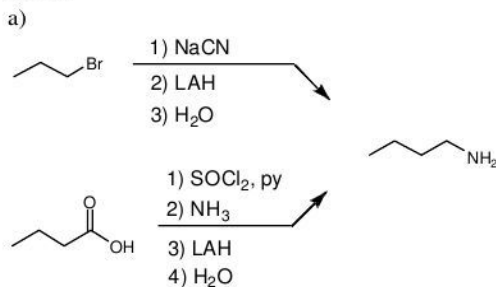


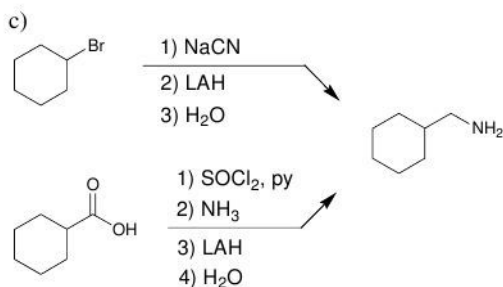
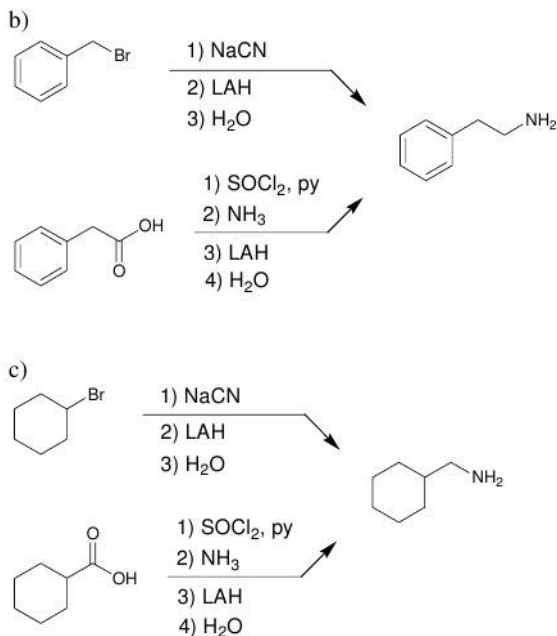
**23.5.**

- a) No. This compound has eight carbon atoms and only one functional group.  
 b) Yes.  
 c) Yes.

**23.6.****23.7.**

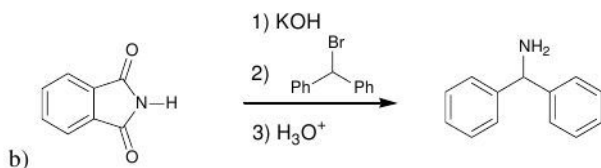
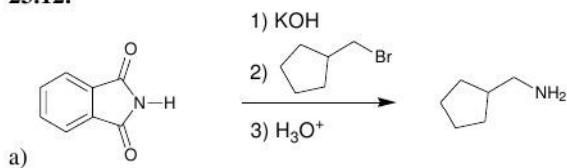
- 23.8.** In the reactant, the lone pair of the amino group is delocalized via resonance. In the product, the lone pair of the amino group is localized.

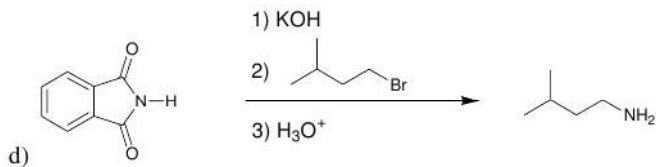
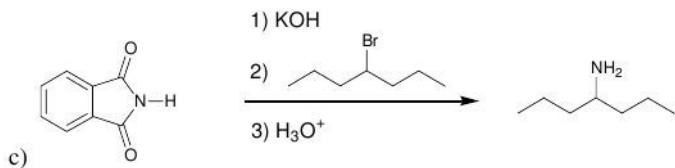
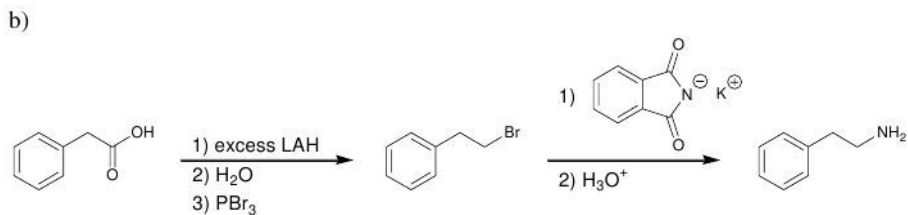
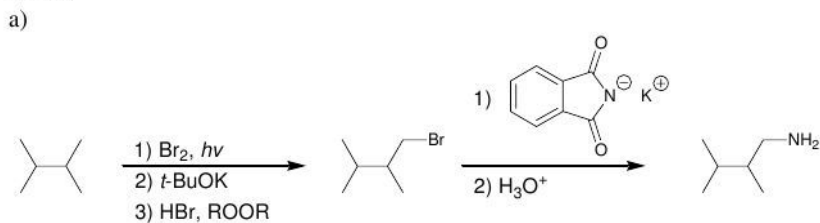
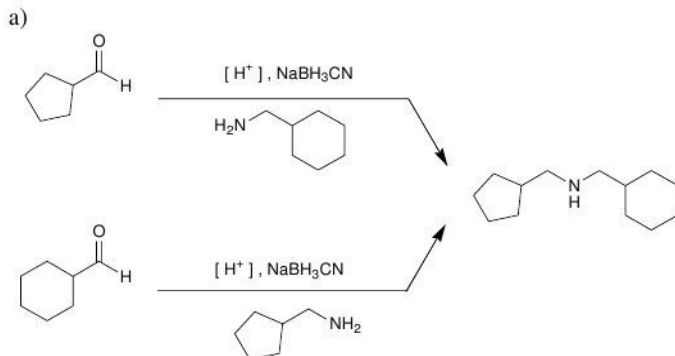
**23.9.****23.10.**



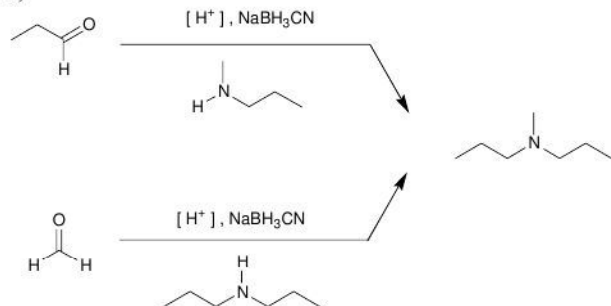
**23.11.** This compound cannot be prepared from an alkyl halide or a carboxylic acid, using the methods described in this section, because there are two methyl groups at the alpha position (the carbon atom connected to the amino group). These two methyl groups cannot be installed with either of the synthetic methods above, because both methods produce an amine with two alpha protons.

**23.12.**

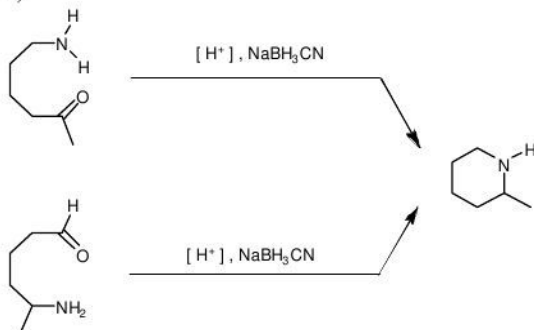


**23.13.****23.14.**

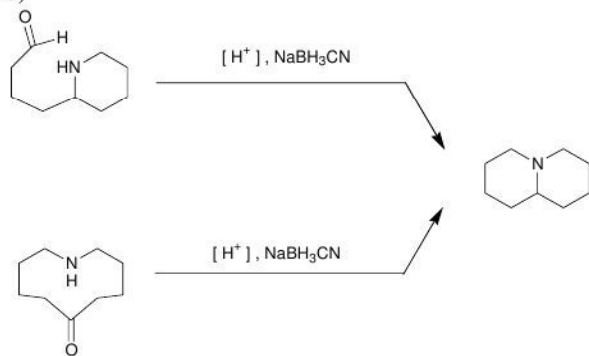
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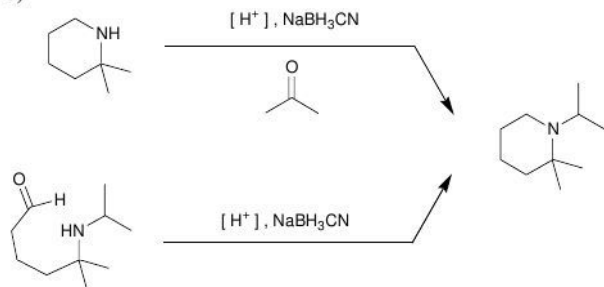
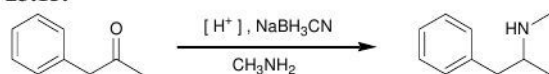
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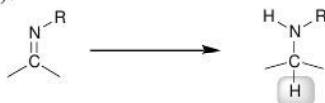
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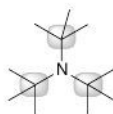
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**23.15.**

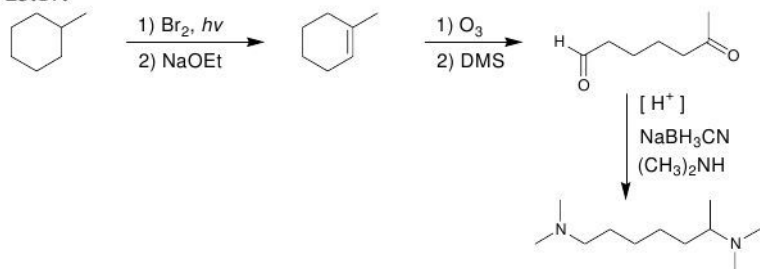
**23.16.** The last step of reductive amination is the reduction of a  $C=N$  bond. That step introduces a proton on the alpha position (the carbon atom that is connected to the nitrogen atom in the product):



As a result, the product of a reductive amination must have at least one proton at the alpha position. In the case of tri-*tert*-butyl amine, there are three alpha positions, and none of them bears a proton. Each of the alpha positions has three alkyl groups and no protons.

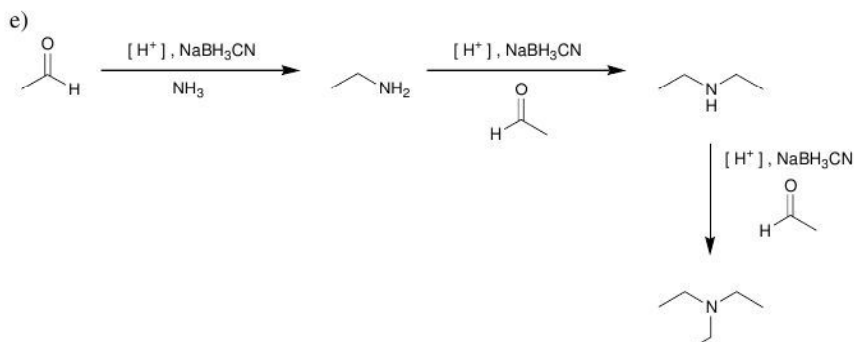
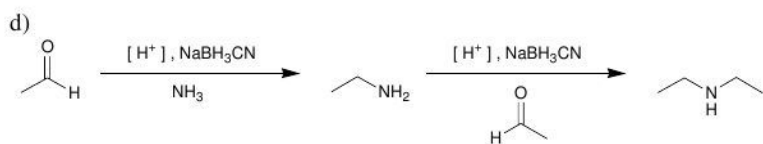
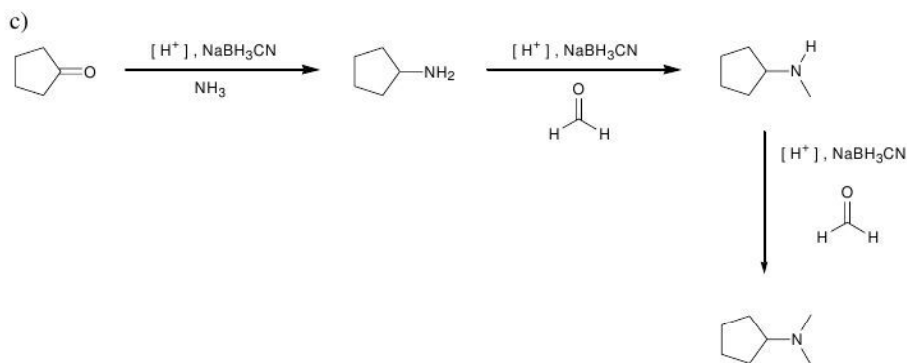
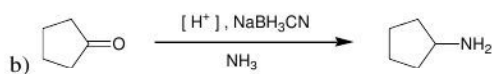
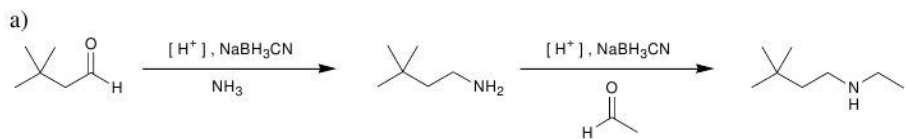


Therefore, this compound cannot be made with a reductive amination.

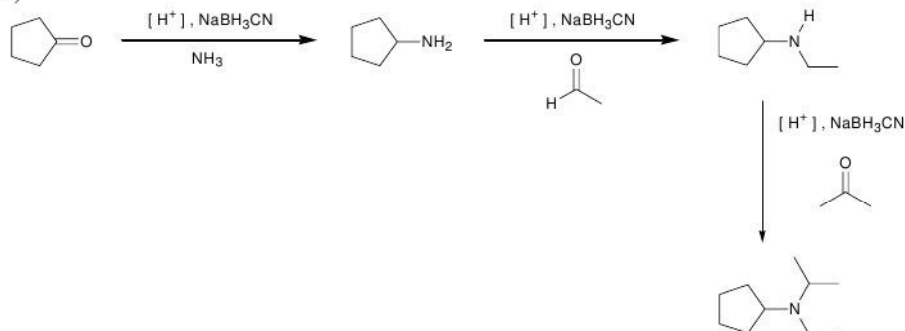
**23.17.**



## 23.18.

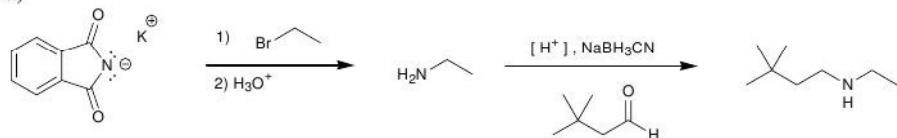


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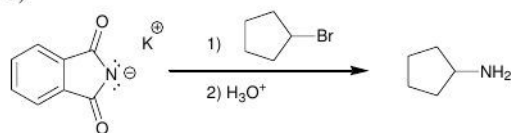


**23.19.** The first alkyl group is installed via a Gabriel synthesis, and the remaining alkyl groups are installed via reductive amination processes. For most of the following syntheses, there is a choice regarding which group to attach via the initial Gabriel synthesis. In such cases, the least sterically hindered group is chosen (the group whose installation involves the least hindered alkyl halide):

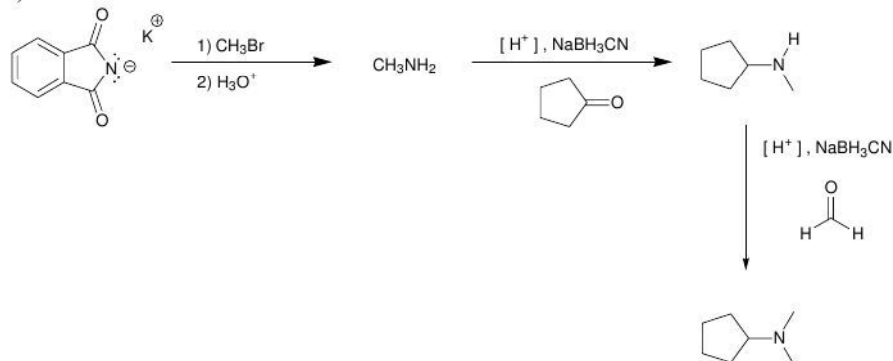
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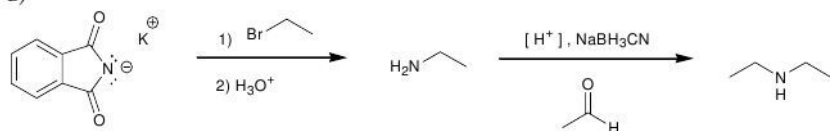
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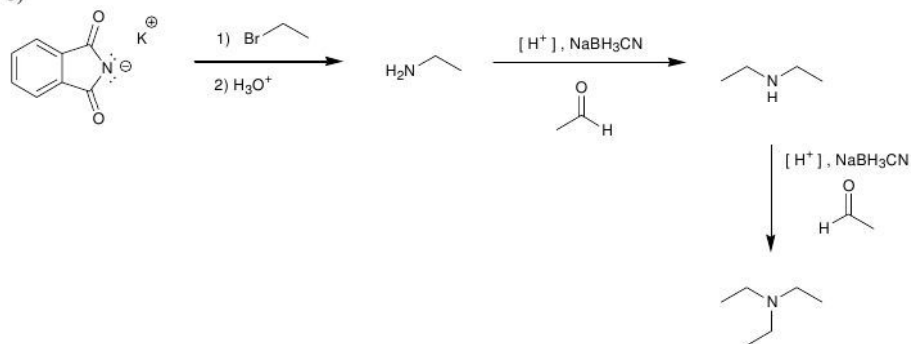
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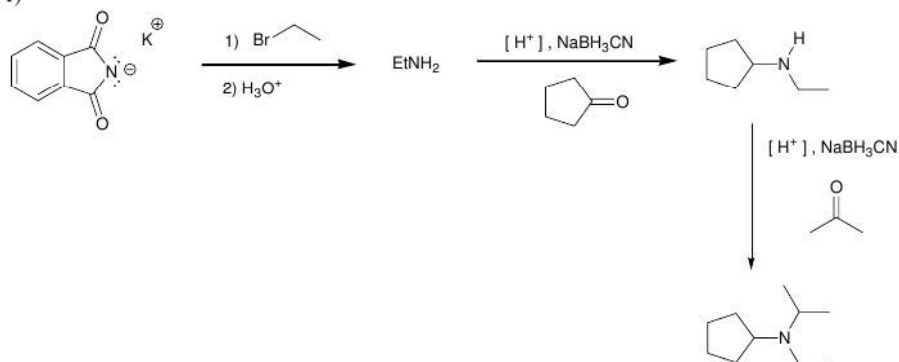
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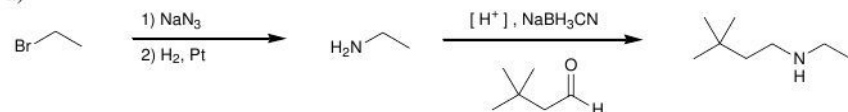


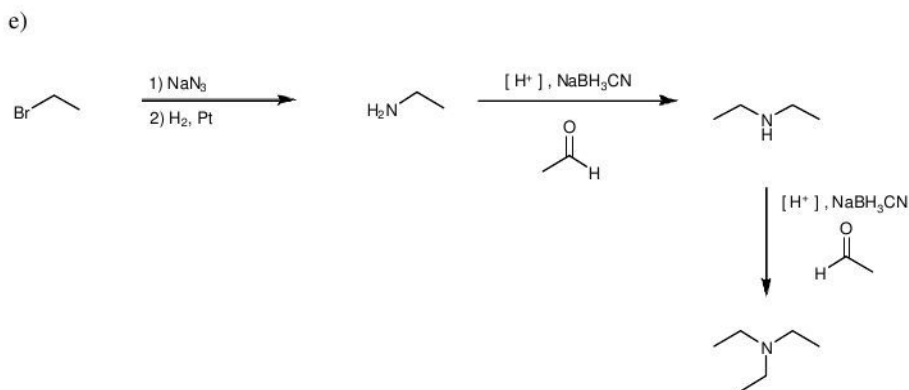
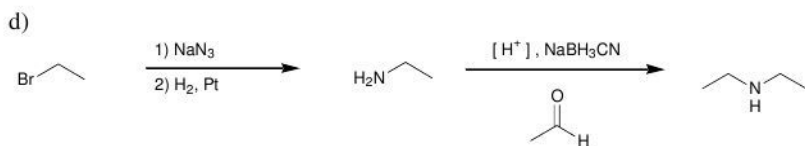
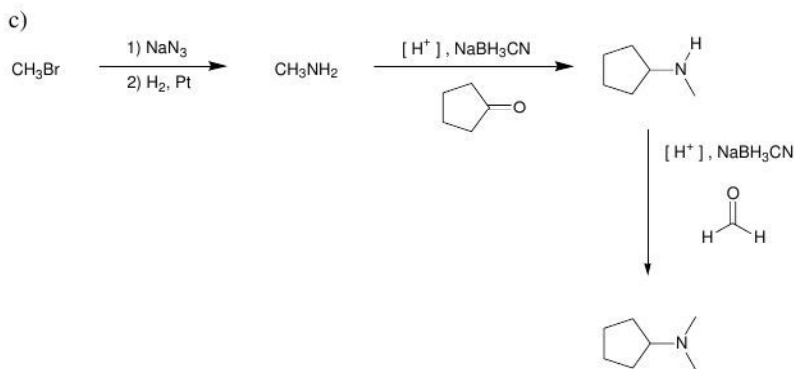
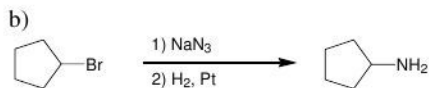
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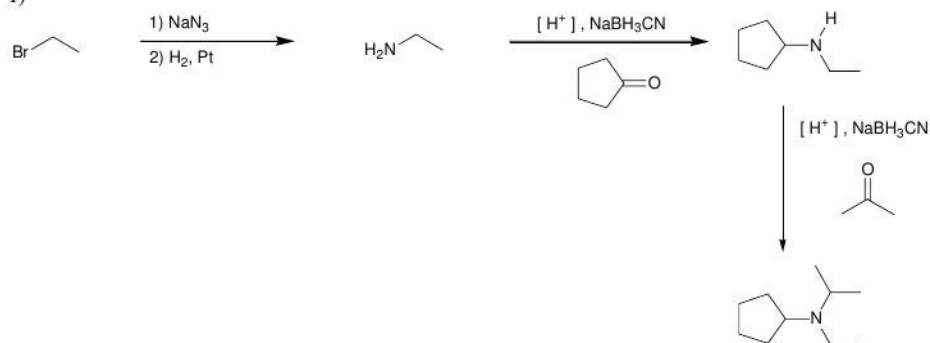
**23.20.** The first alkyl group is installed via an azide synthesis, and the remaining alkyl groups are installed via reductive amination processes. For most of the following syntheses, there is a choice regarding which group to attach via the initial azide synthesis. In such cases, the least sterically hindered group is chosen (the group whose installation involves the least hindered alkyl halide):

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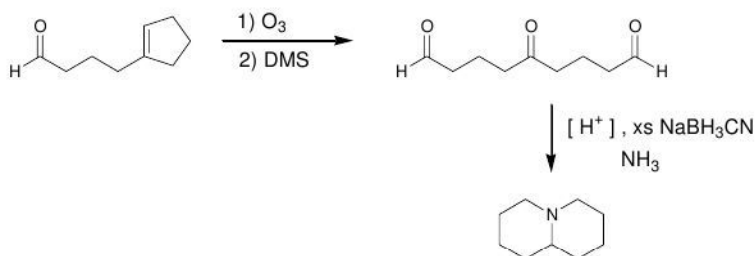




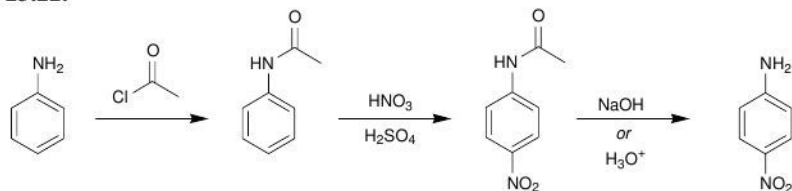
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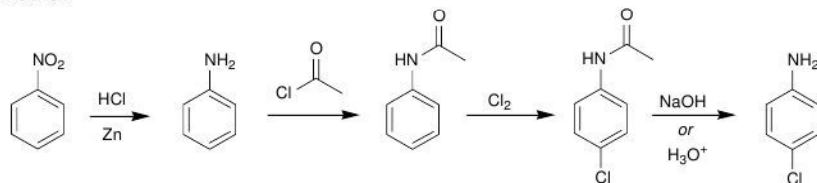
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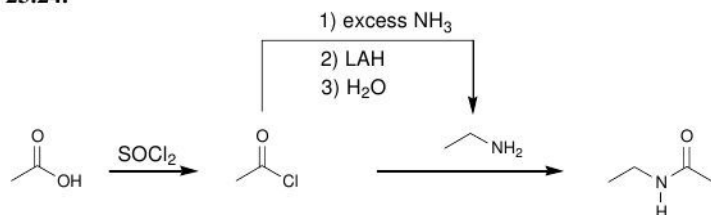
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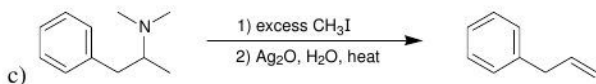
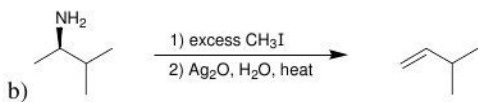
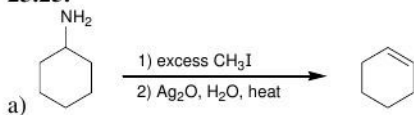
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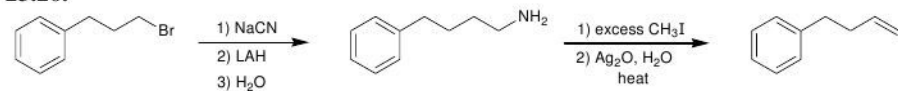
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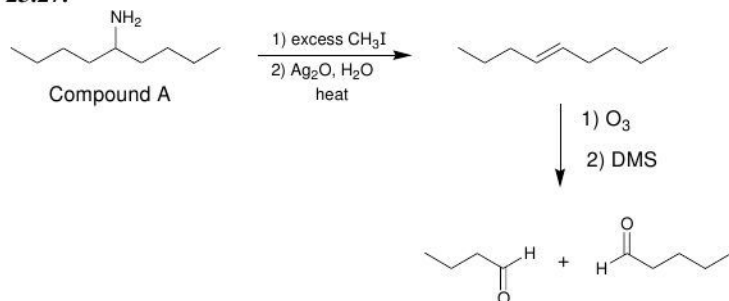
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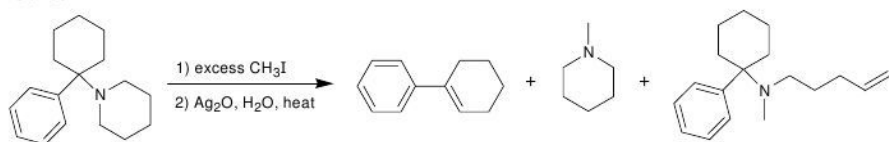
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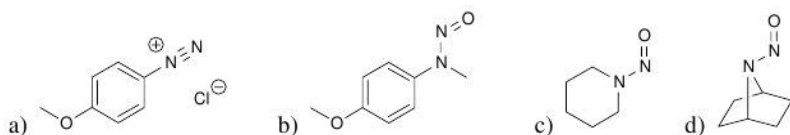
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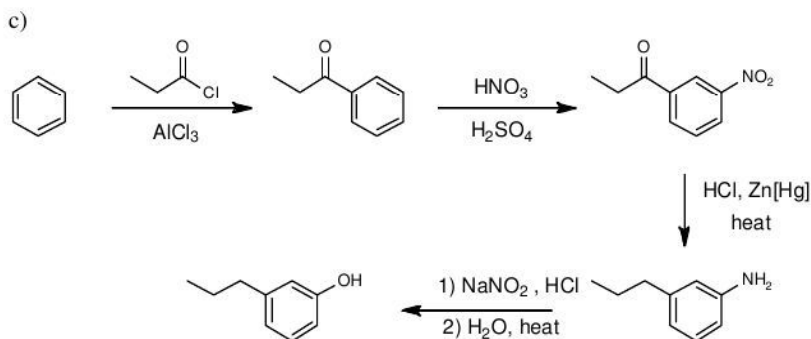
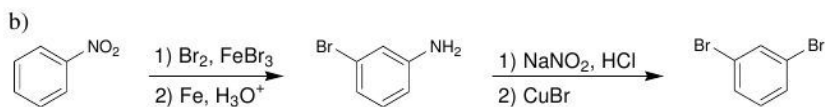
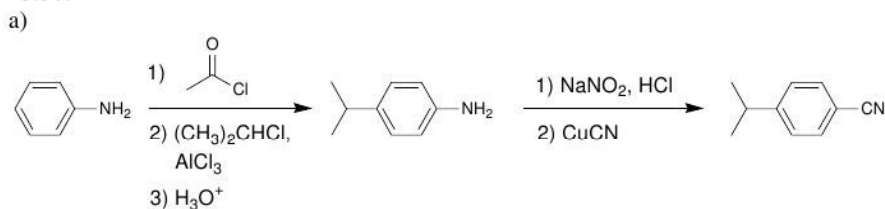
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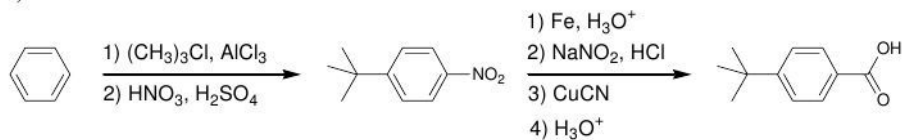
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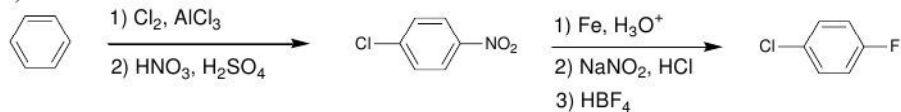
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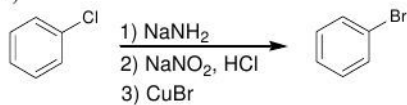
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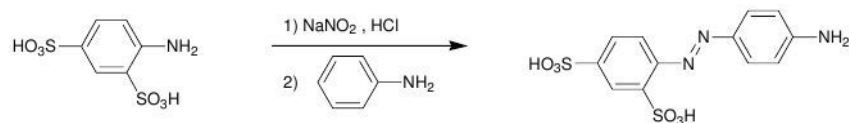
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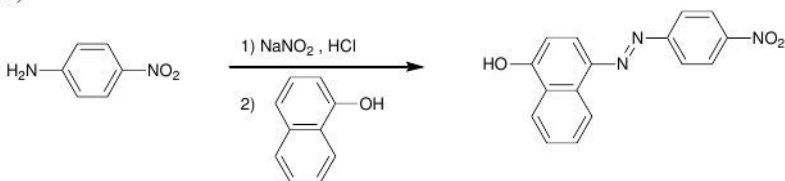
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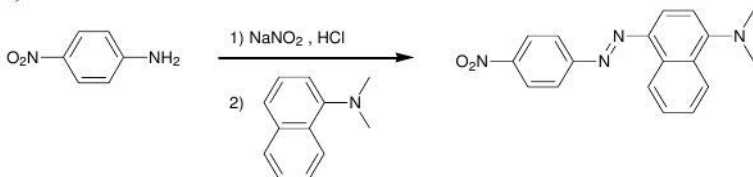
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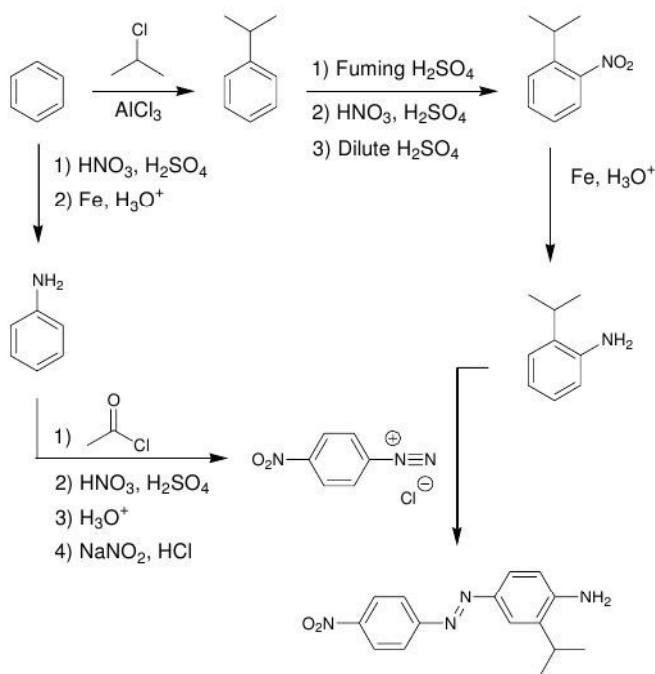


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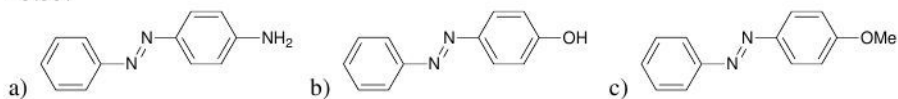




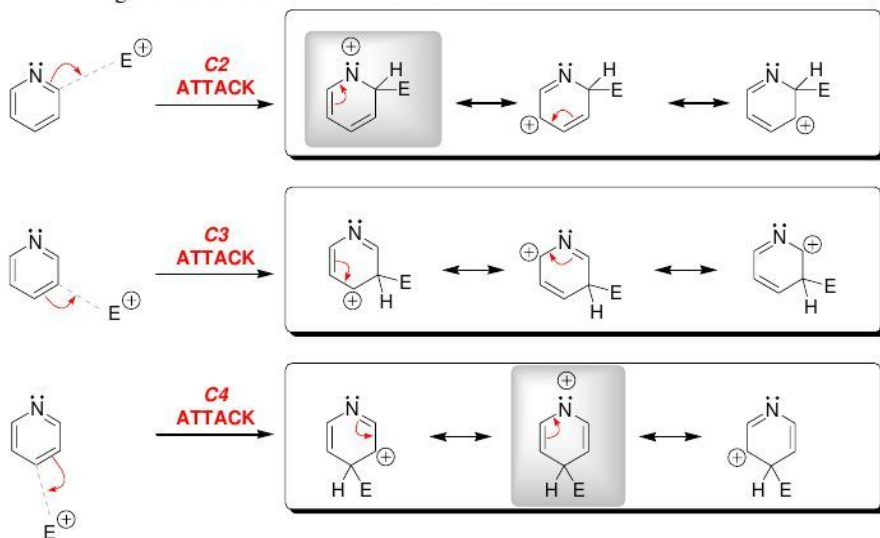
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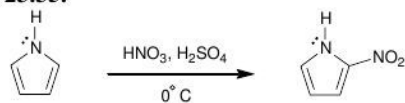
23.33.



**23.34.** Attack at either C2 or C4 generates an intermediate that exhibits a resonance structure with a nitrogen atom that lacks an octet (highlighted below). Attack at C3 generates a more stable intermediate:



**23.35.**



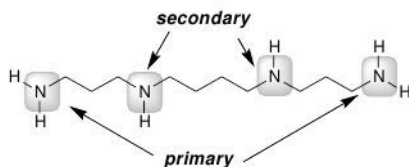
**23.36.**

- a) The second compound will have an N-H stretching signal between  $3300$  and  $3500\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The first compound will not have such a signal.
- b) When treated with  $HCl$ , the first compound will be protonated to form an ammonium salt that will produce an IR signal between  $2200$  and  $3000\text{ cm}^{-1}$ . The second compound is not an amine and will not exhibit the same behavior.

**23.37.**

- a) The  $^1H$  NMR spectrum of the first compound will have a singlet resulting from the N-methyl group.  $^1H$  NMR spectrum of the second compound will not have any singlets.
- b) The  $^1H$  NMR spectrum of the first compound will have six signals, while the  $^1H$  NMR spectrum of the second compound will have only three signals.

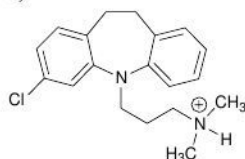
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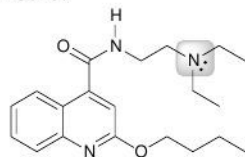
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a) The lone pair that is farthest away from the rings is the most basic, because its lone pair is localized. The lone pair of the other nitrogen atom is delocalized via resonance.

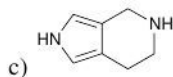
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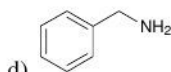
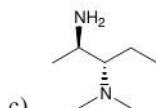
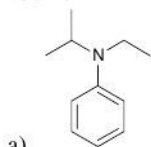
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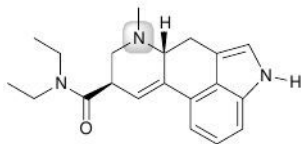
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**23.43.** Only one of the nitrogen atoms has a localized lone pair (highlighted in the following structure). The other two nitrogen atoms have delocalized lone pairs.



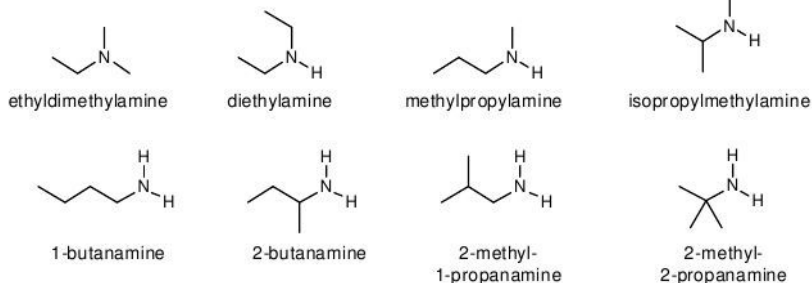
**23.44.**

- a) two                      b) two                      c) one

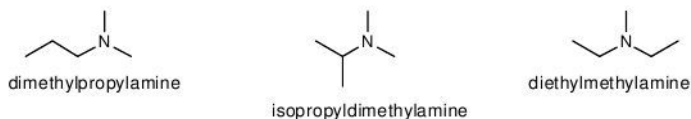
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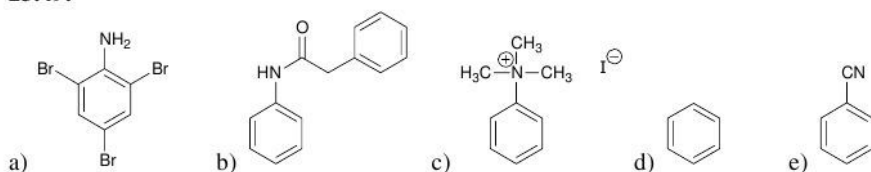
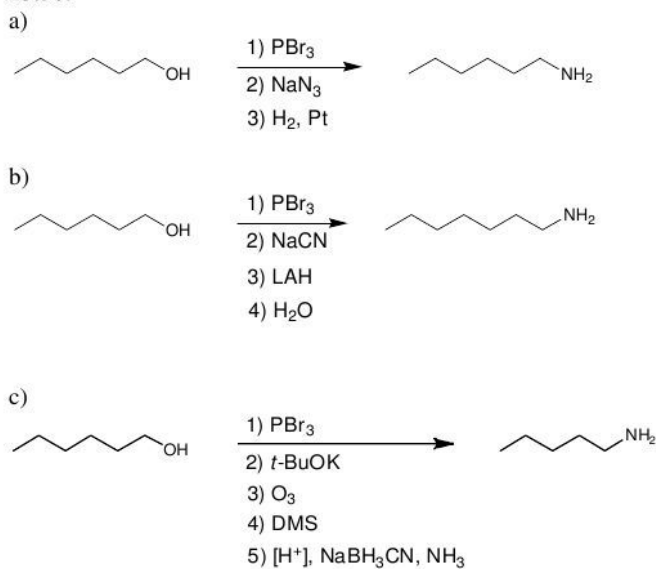
- a) 2,2,3,3-tetramethyl-1-hexanamine  
 b) (*S*)-4-amino-2,2-dimethylcyclohexanone  
 c) dicyclobutylmethylamine  
 d) 3-bromo-2,6-dimethylaniline  
 e) *N,N*-dimethyl-3-propylaniline  
 f) 2,5-diethyl-*N*-methyl pyrrole

**23.46.**



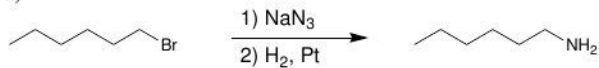
**23.47.** None of these compounds are chiral.



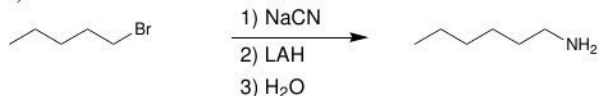
**23.48.****23.49.****23.50.**

**23.51.**

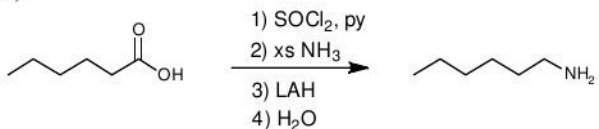
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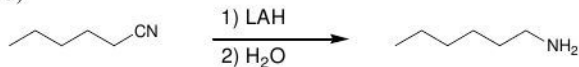
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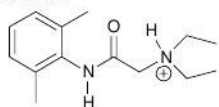
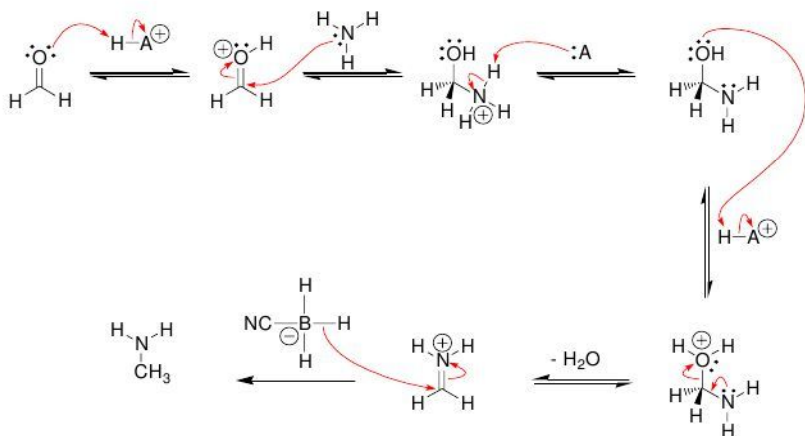
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d)



**23.52.** Aziridine has significant ring strain, which would increase significantly during pyramidal inversion. This provides a significant energy barrier that prevents pyramidal inversion at room temperature.

**23.53.****23.54.**

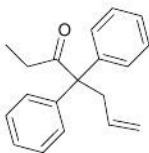
**23.55.** In acidic conditions, the amino group is protonated to give an ammonium ion. The ammonium group is a powerful deactivator and meta-director.

**23.56.**

a) The presence of the nitro group in the para position helps stabilize the conjugate base via resonance. As seen in chapter 19, this effect only occurs when the nitro group is in the ortho and para positions.

b) The basicity of *ortho*-nitroaniline should be closer in value to *para*-nitroaniline.

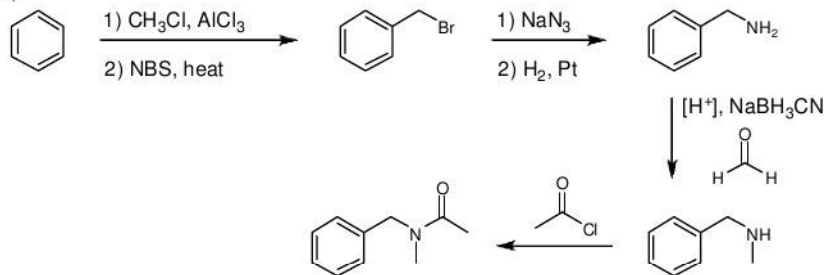
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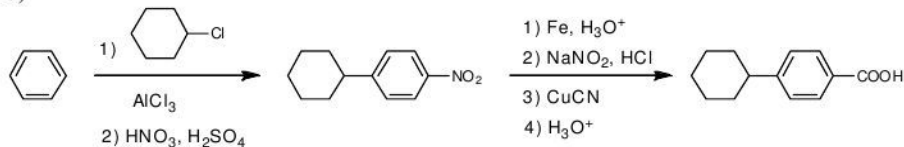
**23.58.** Protonation of the oxygen atom gives a resonance stabilized cation (as seen in chapter 20). In contrast, protonation of the nitrogen atom gives a cation that is not resonance stabilized.

**23.59.**

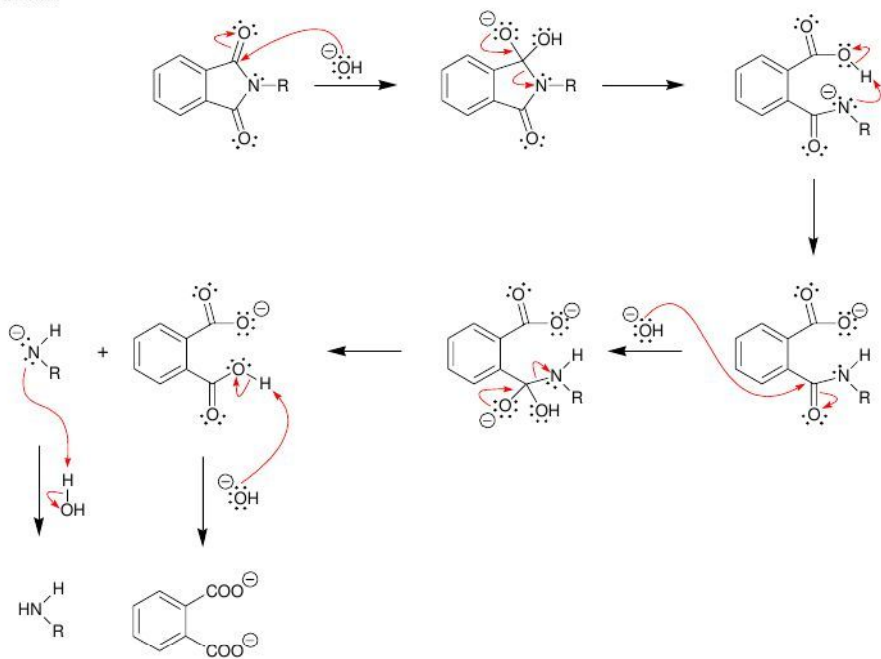
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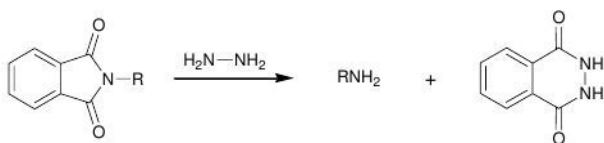
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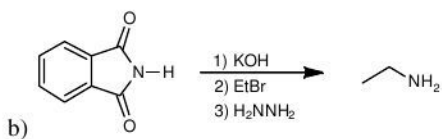
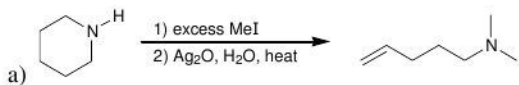
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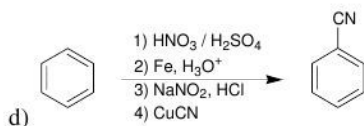
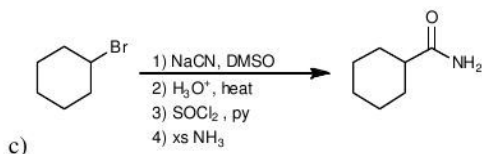
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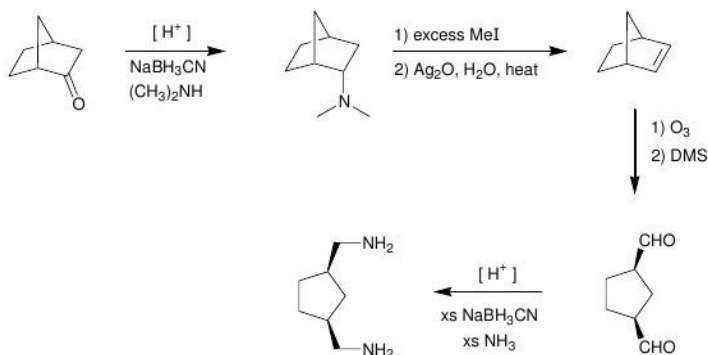
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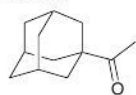
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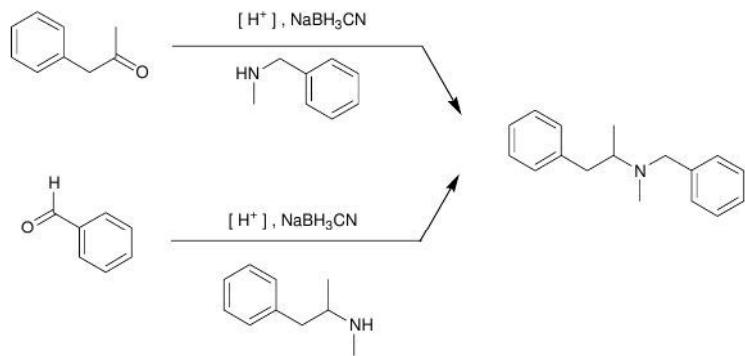
23.64. The conjugate base of pyrrole is highly stabilized because it is an aromatic anion and it is resonance stabilized, spreading the negative charge over all five atoms of the ring:



## 23.65.



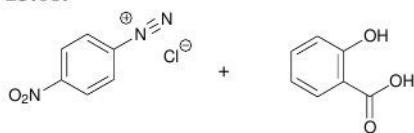
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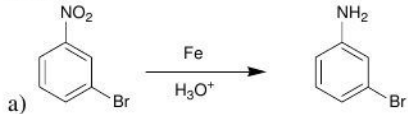
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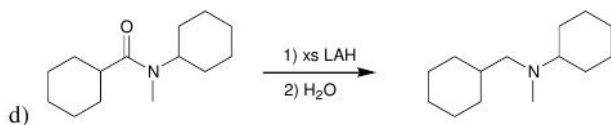
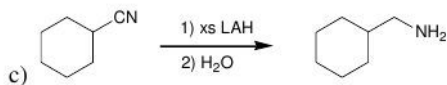
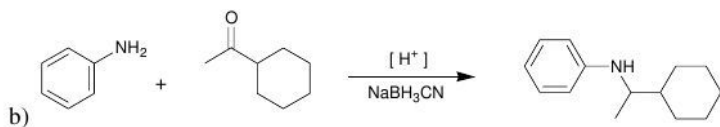


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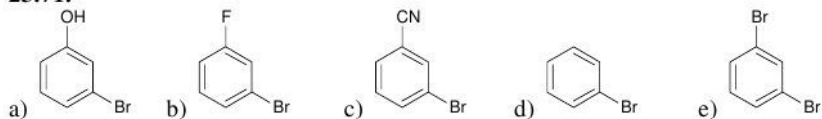


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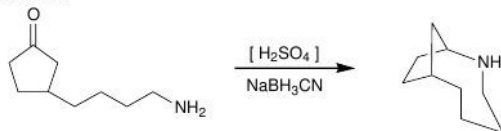




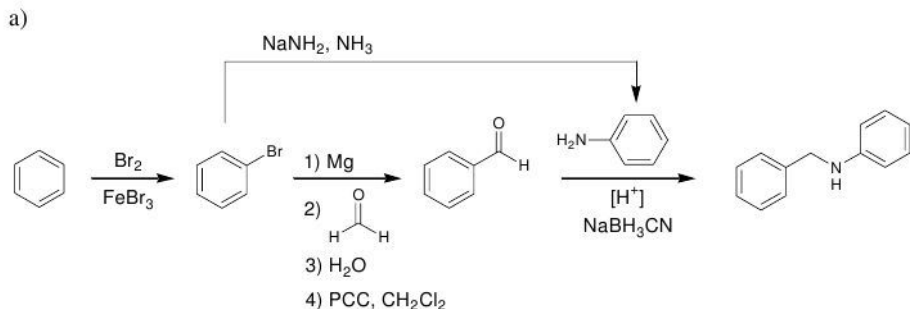
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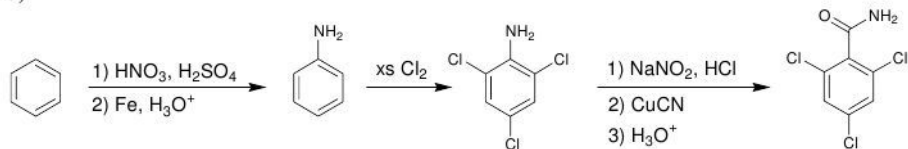
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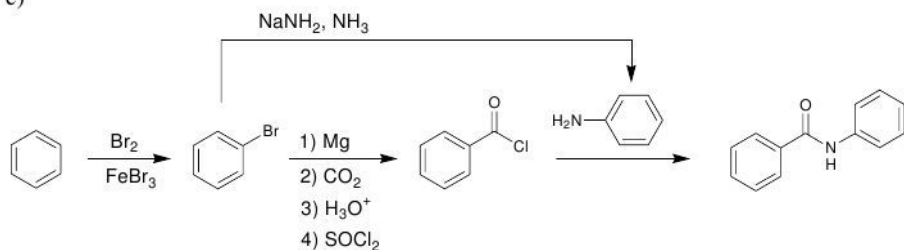
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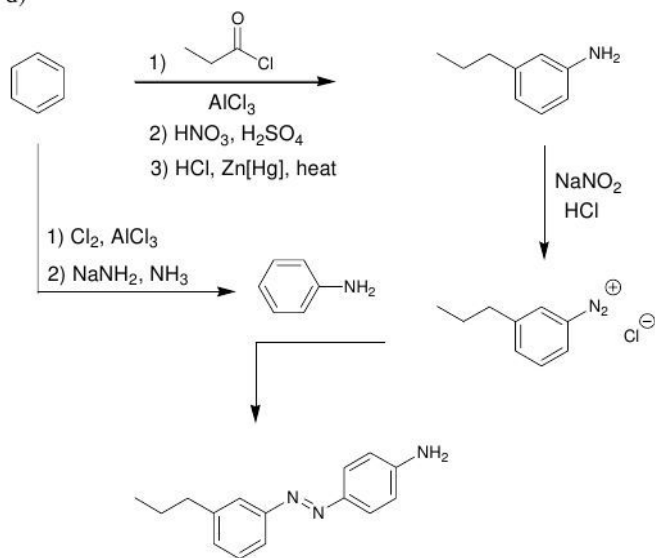
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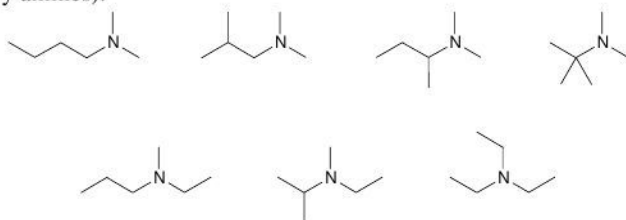
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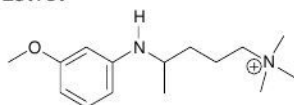
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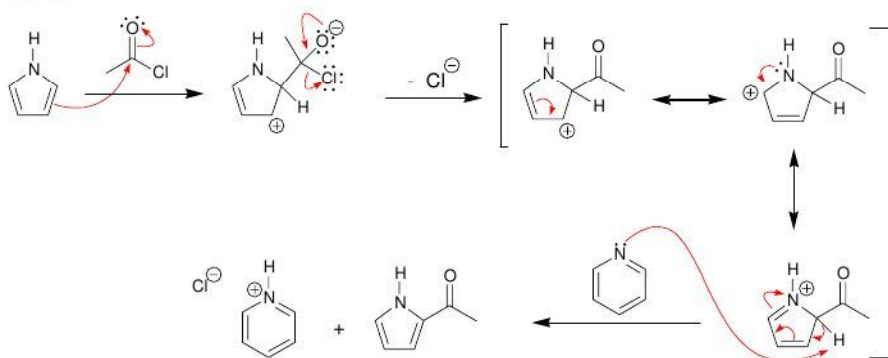
**23.74.** The IR data indicates that we are looking for structures that lack an N-H bond (i.e. tertiary amines):



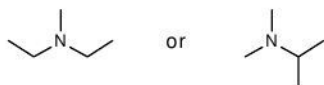
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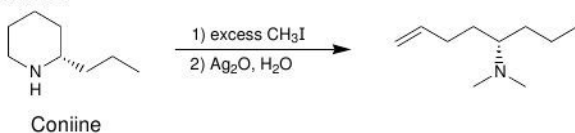
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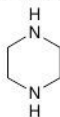
**23.77.** The compound is a tertiary amine with the appropriate symmetry that provides for only three signals:



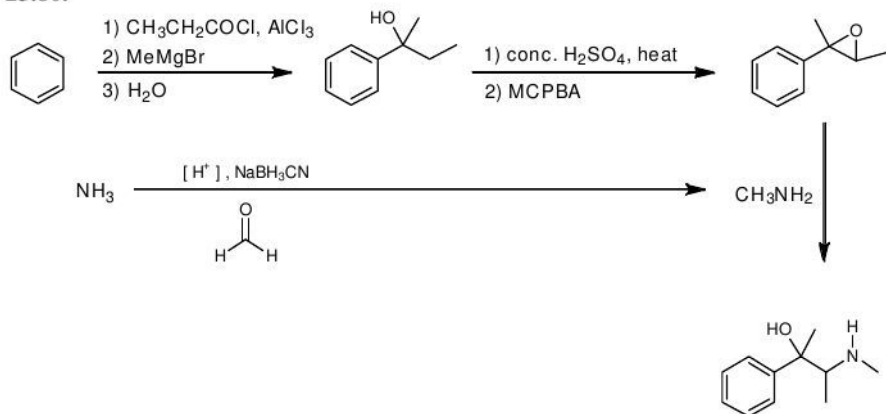
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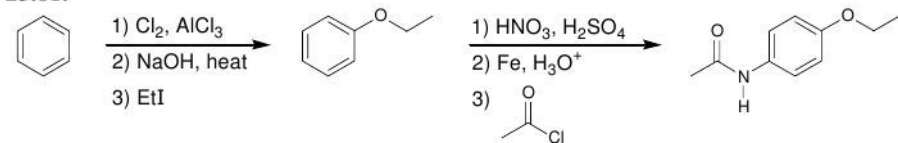
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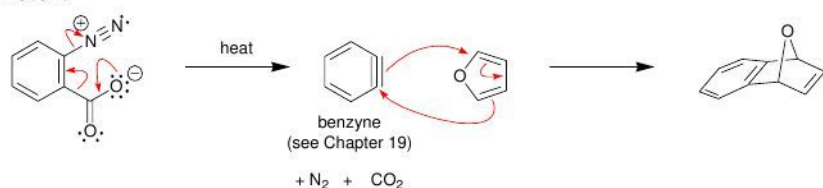
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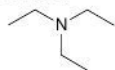
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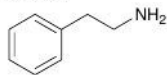
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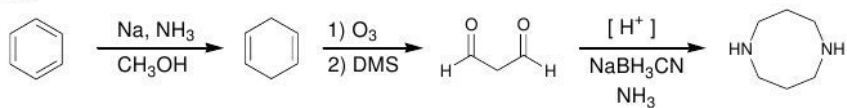
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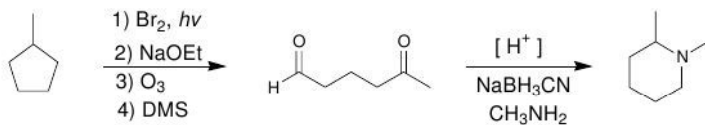
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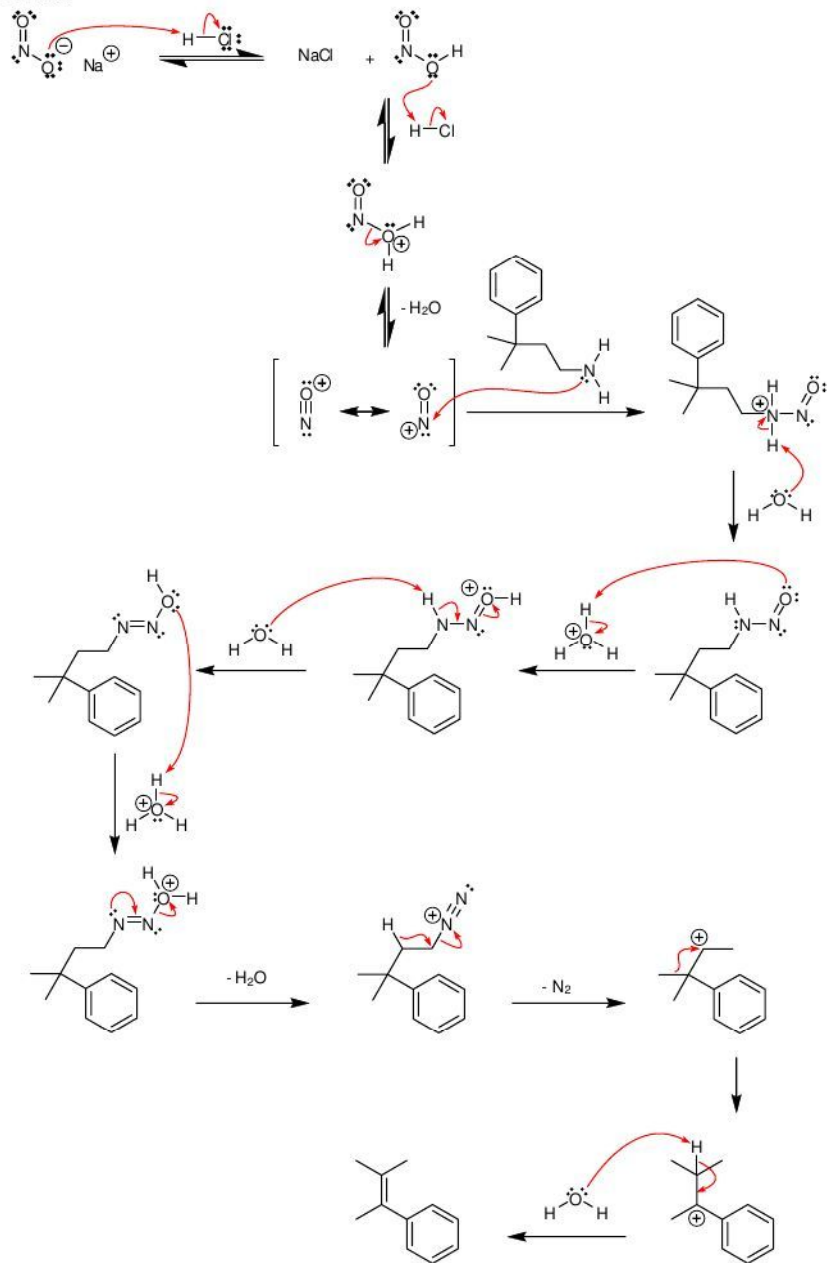
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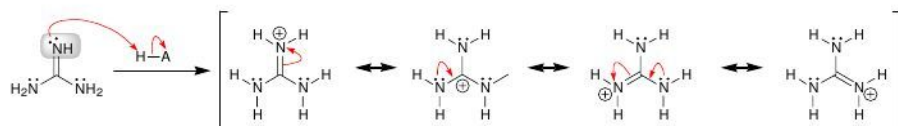


23.87.





**23.88.** Protonation of the nitrogen highlighted below results in a cation that is highly resonance stabilized. Protonation of either of the other nitrogen atoms would not result in a resonance stabilized cation:



# Chapter 24

## Carbohydrates

### Review of Concepts

Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 24. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

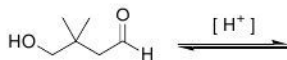
- **Carbohydrates** are polyhydroxy \_\_\_\_\_ or ketones.
- Simple sugars are called \_\_\_\_\_ and are generally classified as **aldoses** and \_\_\_\_\_.
- For all **D sugars**, the chirality center farthest from the carbonyl group has the \_\_\_\_\_ configuration.
- Aldohexoses can form cyclic hemi\_\_\_\_\_ that exhibit a **pyranose** ring.
- Cyclization produces two stereoisomeric hemiacetals, called \_\_\_\_\_. The newly created chirality center is called the \_\_\_\_\_ **carbon**.
- In the  **$\alpha$  anomer**, the hydroxyl group at the anomeric position is \_\_\_\_\_ to the  $\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  group, while in the  **$\beta$  anomer**, the hydroxyl group is \_\_\_\_\_ to the  $\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  group.
- Anomers equilibrate by a process called \_\_\_\_\_, which is catalyzed by either \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_.
- Some carbohydrates, such as D-fructose, can also form five-membered rings, called \_\_\_\_\_ rings.
- Monosaccharides are converted into their ester derivatives when treated with excess \_\_\_\_\_.
- Monosaccharides are converted into their ether derivatives when treated with excess \_\_\_\_\_ and silver oxide.
- When treated with an alcohol under acid-catalyzed conditions, monosaccharides are converted into acetals, called \_\_\_\_\_. Both anomers are formed.
- Upon treatment with sodium borohydride an aldose or ketose can be reduced to yield an \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with a suitable oxidizing agent, an aldose can be oxidized to yield an \_\_\_\_\_.
- When treated with  $\text{HNO}_3$ , an aldose is oxidized to give a dicarboxylic acid called an \_\_\_\_\_.
- D-Glucose and D-mannose are **epimers** and are interconverted under strongly \_\_\_\_\_ conditions.
- The **Kiliani-Fischer synthesis** can be used to lengthen the chain of an \_\_\_\_\_.
- The **Wohl degradation** can be used to shorten the chain of an \_\_\_\_\_.
- \_\_\_\_\_ are comprised of two monosaccharide units, joined together via a glycosidic linkage.
- **Polysaccharides** are polymers consisting of repeating monosaccharide units linked by \_\_\_\_\_ bonds.
- When treated with an \_\_\_\_\_ in the presence of an acid catalyst, monosaccharides are converted into their corresponding **N-glycosides**.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 24. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

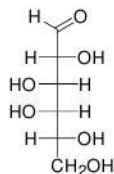
### 24.1 Drawing the Cyclic Hemiacetal of a Hydroxylaldehyde

DRAW THE CYCLIC HEMIACETAL THAT IS FORMED WHEN THE FOLLOWING HYDROXYALDEHYDE UNDERGOES CYCLIZATION UNDER ACIDIC CONDITIONS.



### 24.2: Drawing a Haworth Projection of an Aldohexose

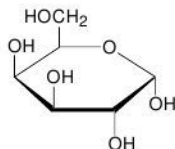
DRAW A HAWORTH PROJECTION OF  $\alpha$ -D-GALACTOPYRANOSE.



D-GALACTOSE

### 24.3: Drawing the More Stable Chair Conformation of a Pyranose Ring

DRAW THE MORE STABLE CHAIR CONFORMATION OF  $\alpha$ -D-GALACTOPYRANOSE.



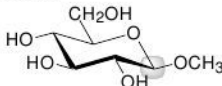
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MORE STABLE CHAIR CONFORMATION

### 24.4 Identifying a Reducing Sugar

**STEP 1** - IDENTIFY THE \_\_\_\_\_ POSITION.

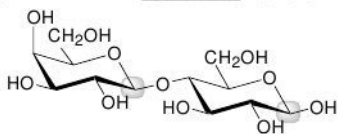


**STEP 2** - DETERMINE IF THE GROUP ATTACHED TO THE ANOMERIC POSITION IS A \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP OR \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP.

- IF \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP, THEN THE COMPOUND IS A REDUCING SUGAR
- IF \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP, THEN THE COMPOUND IS NOT A REDUCING SUGAR.

## 24.5 Determining Whether a Disaccharide Is a Reducing Sugar

**STEP 1** - IDENTIFY THE \_\_\_\_\_ POSITIONS.



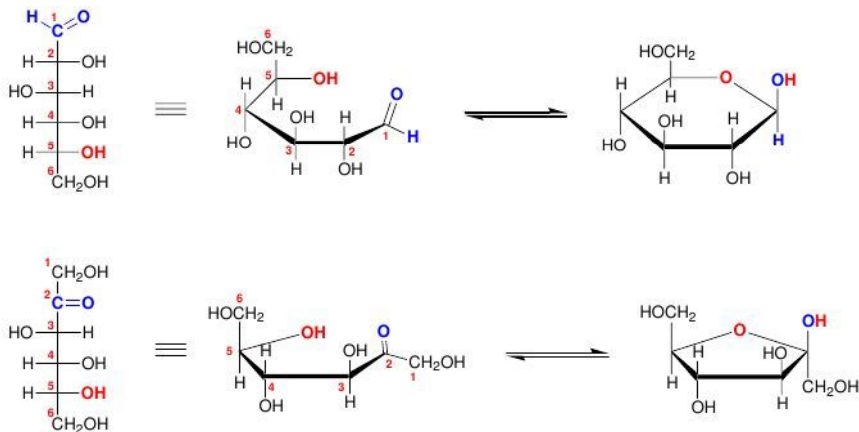
**STEP 2** - DETERMINE IF THE GROUPS ATTACHED TO THE ANOMERIC POSITIONS ARE HYDROXY GROUPS OR ALKOXY GROUPS.

- IF ONE IS A \_\_\_\_\_ GROUP, THEN THE COMPOUND IS A REDUCING SUGAR.
- IF NEITHER ARE \_\_\_\_\_ GROUPS, THEN THE COMPOUND IS NOT A REDUCING SUGAR.

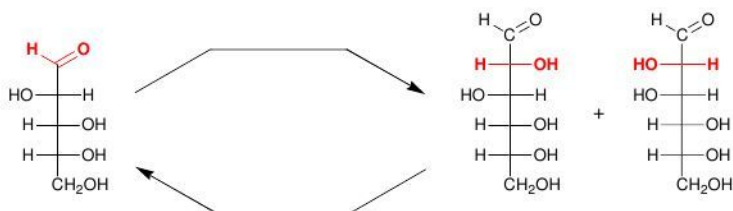
## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 24. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

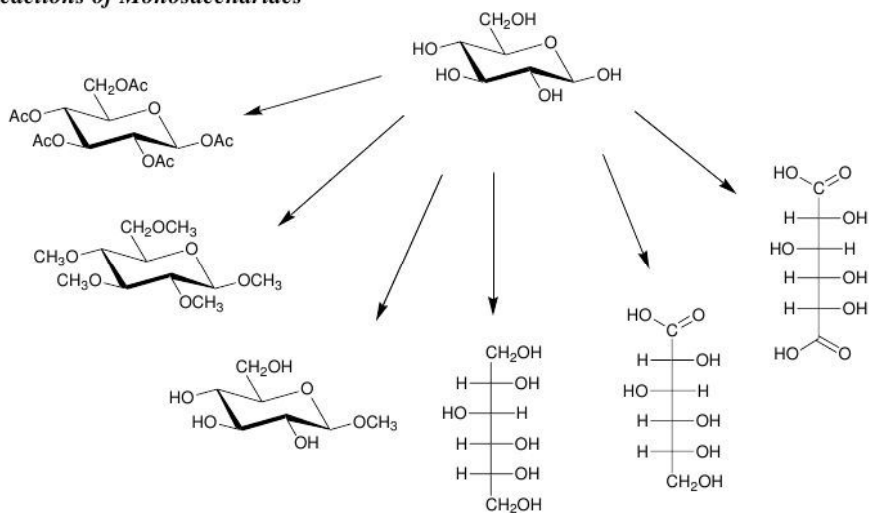
### Hemiacetal Formation



### Chain Lengthening and Chain Shortening



### Reactions of Monosaccharides



### Solutions

#### 24.1.

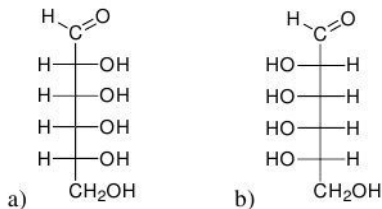
- a) an aldohexose                      b) an aldopentose                      c) a ketopentose  
 d) an aldotetrose                      e) a ketohexose

**24.2.** Both are hexoses so both have molecular formula ( $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$ ). Although they have the same molecular formula, they have different constitution – one is an aldehyde and the other is a ketone. Therefore, they are constitutional isomers.

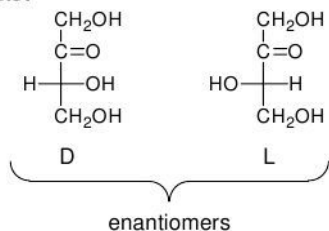
**24.3.** All are D sugars except for (b), which is an L sugar.

- a) 2S, 3S, 4R, 5R                      b) 2R, 3S, 4S                      c) 3R, 4R                      d) 2S, 3R                      e) 3S, 4S, 5R
- Pay special attention to the following trend: The configuration of each chirality center is *R* when the OH group is on the right side of the Fischer projection, and the configuration is *S* when the OH group is on the left side.

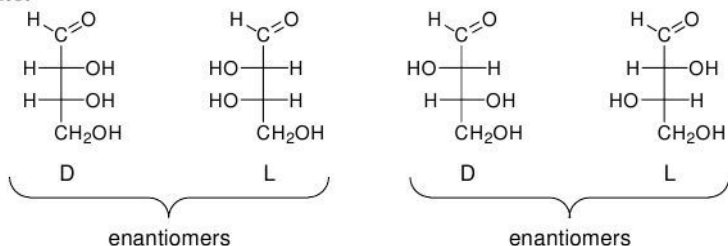
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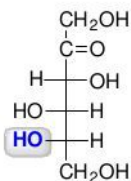
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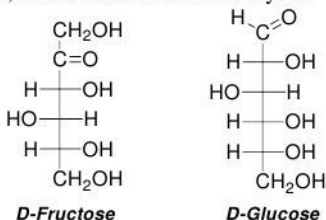
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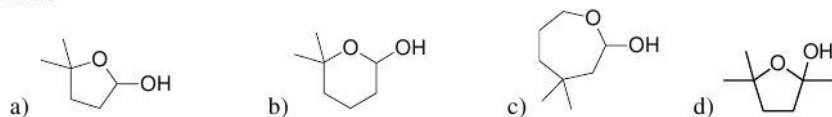
24.7.

***L-Fructose***

**24.8.** D-fructose and D-glucose are constitutional isomers. Both have molecular formula ( $\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$ ). Although they have the same molecular formula, they have different constitution – one is a ketone, and the other is an aldehyde.



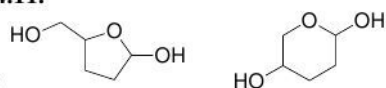
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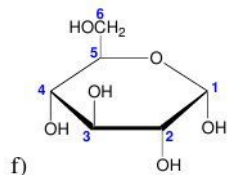
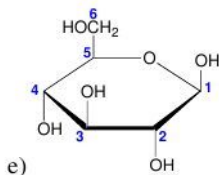
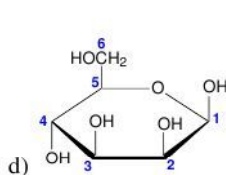
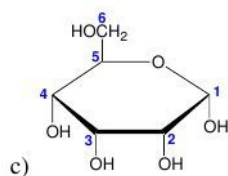
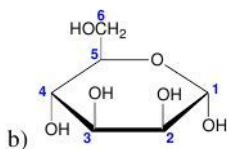
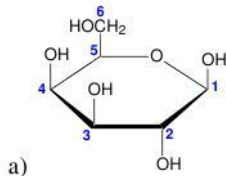
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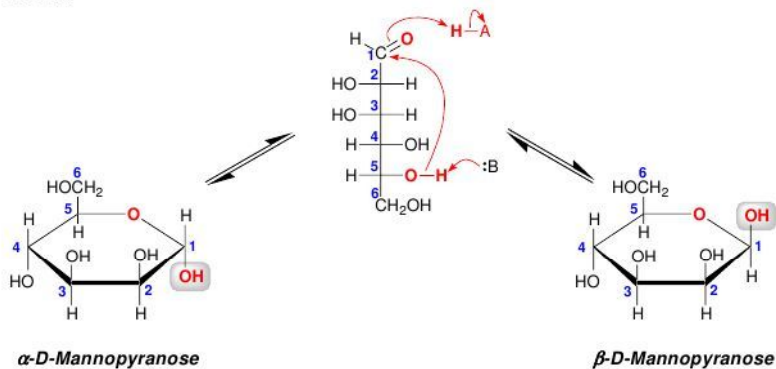
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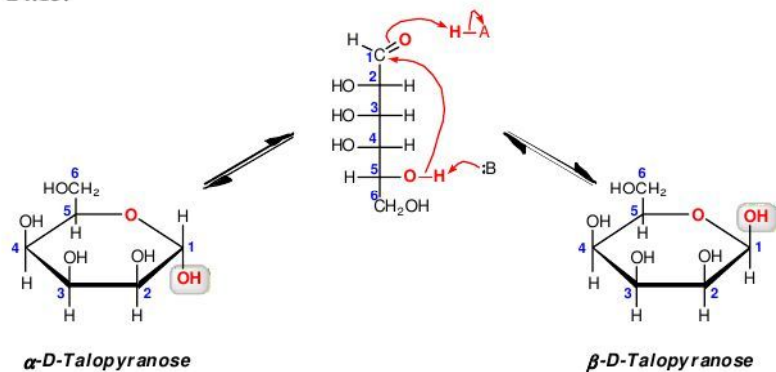
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24.13.  $\beta$ -D-galactopyranose

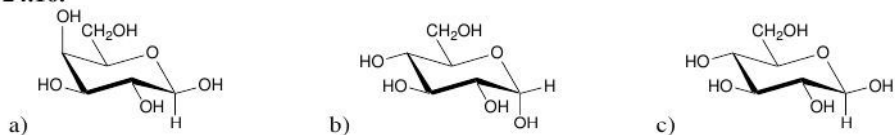
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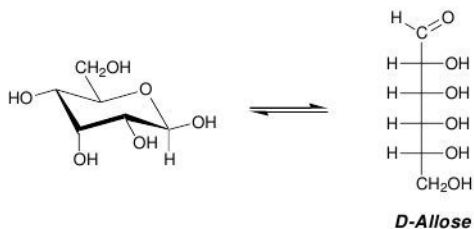
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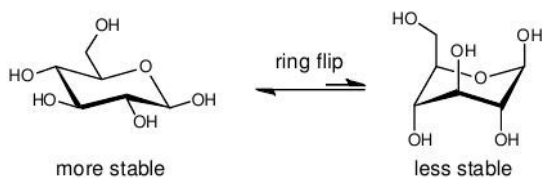


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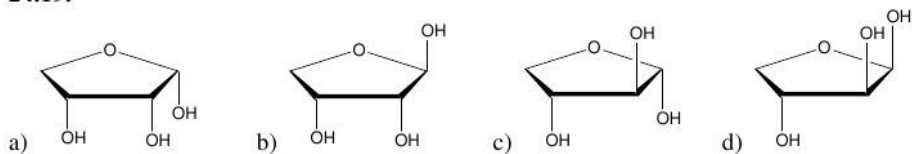




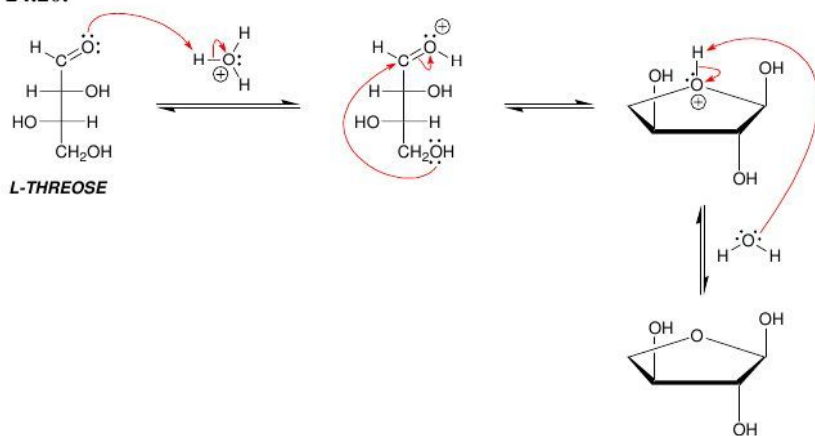
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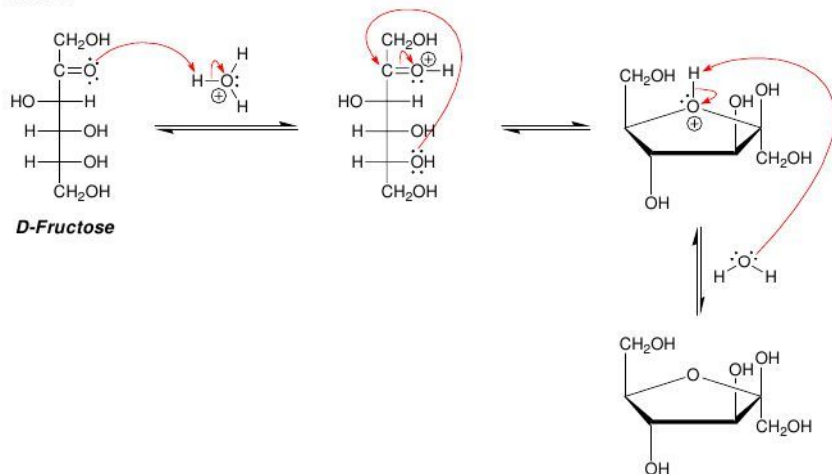
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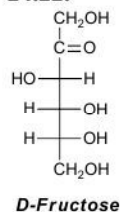
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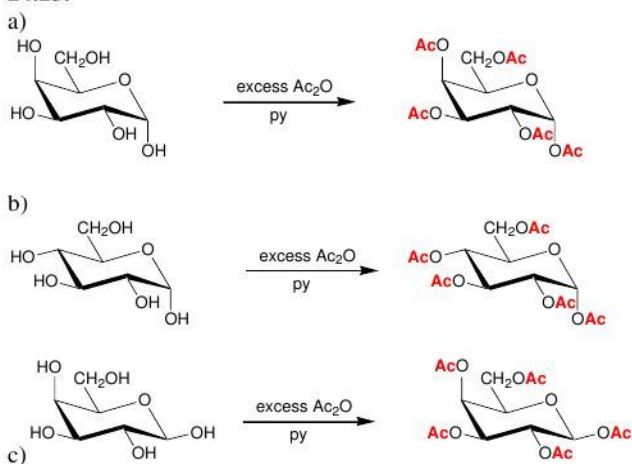
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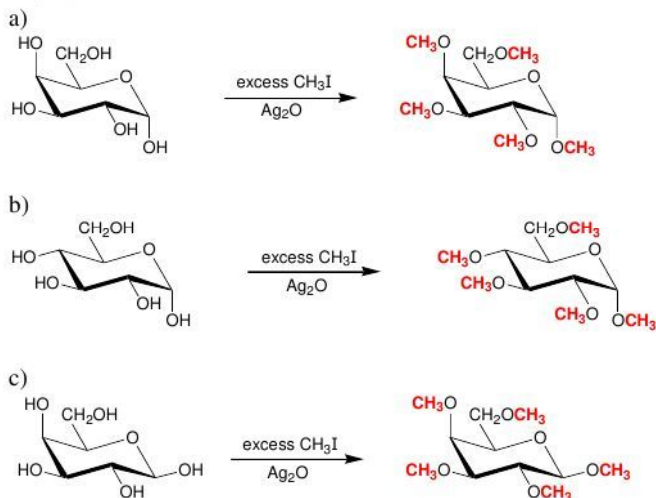
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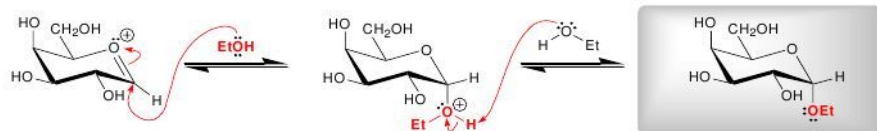
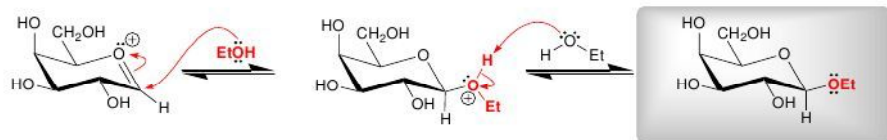
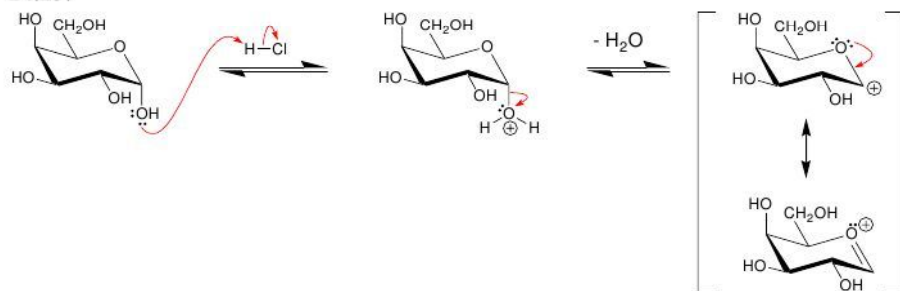
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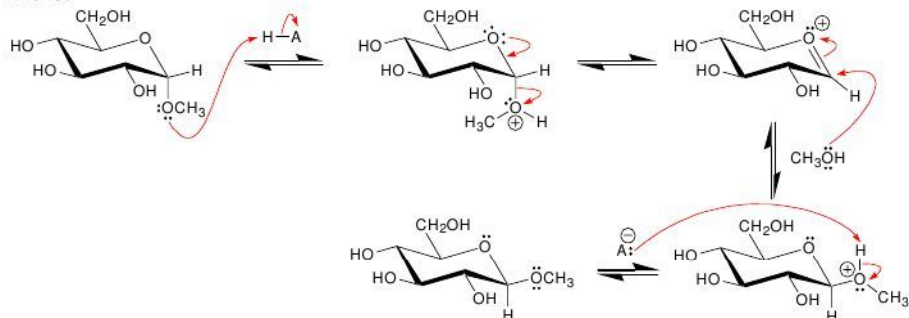
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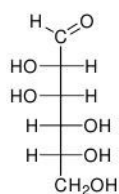
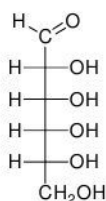
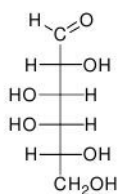
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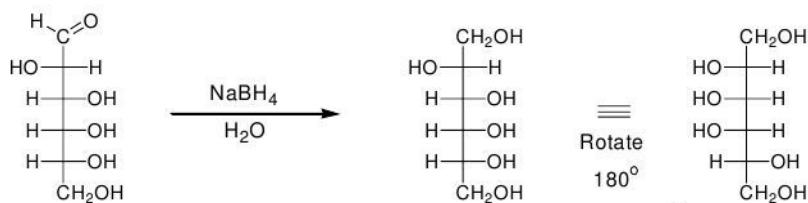
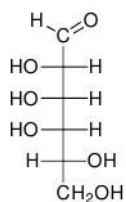
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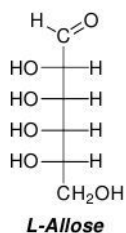
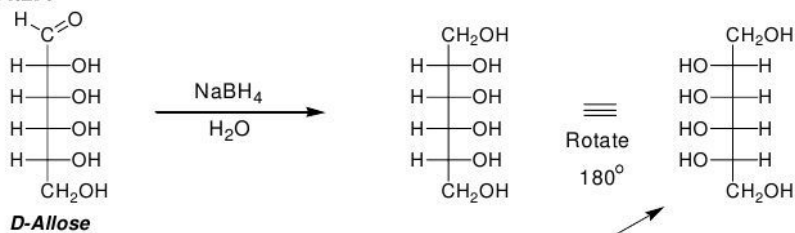
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a) *D*-Mannoseb) *D*-Allosec) *D*-Galactose

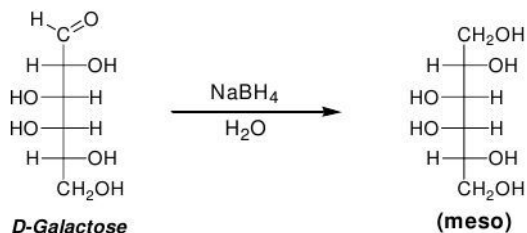
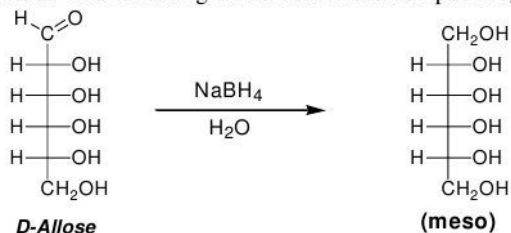
24.28.

*D*-Allose*D*-Talose

24.29.



24.30. The following alditols are meso compounds, and are therefore optically inactive:



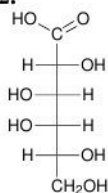
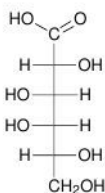
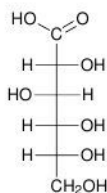
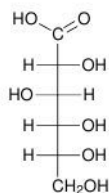
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a) No (an acetal)

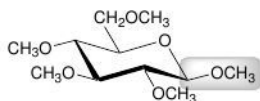
b) Yes

c) Yes

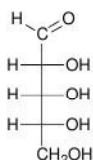
24.32.

a) *D*-Galactonic acidb) *D*-Galactonic acidc) *D*-Gluconic acidd) *D*-Gluconic acid

24.33. This compound will not be a reducing sugar because the anomeric position is an acetal group.

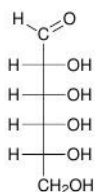
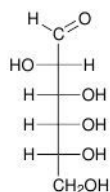
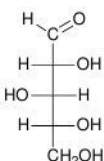
*β*-D-Glucopyranose pentamethyl ether

24.34.

*D*-Ribose

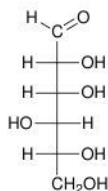
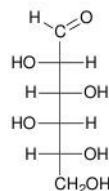
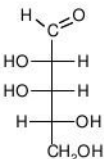
a)

Fischer-Kiliani

*D*-Allose*D*-Altose*D*-Xylose

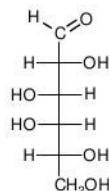
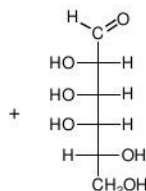
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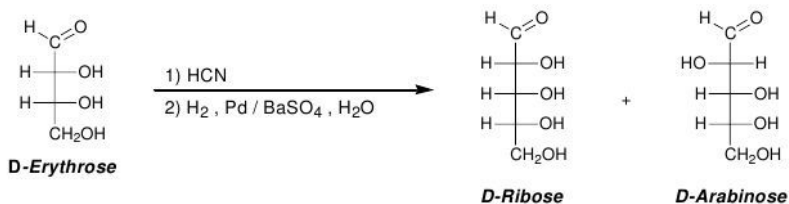
*D*-Gulose*D*-Idose*D*-Lyxose

c)

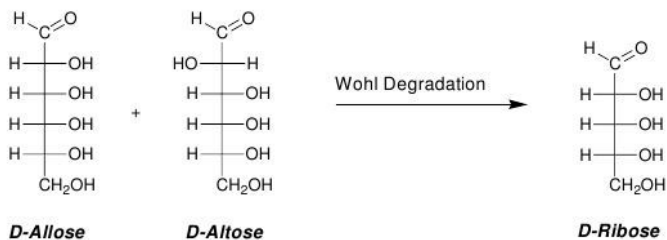
Fischer-Kiliani

*D*-Galactose*D*-Talose

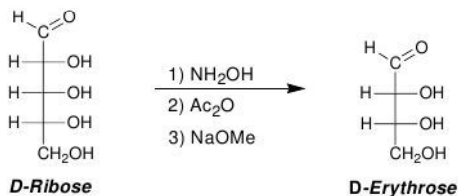
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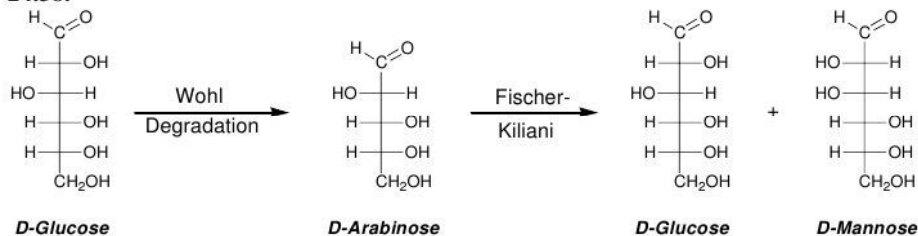
24.36.



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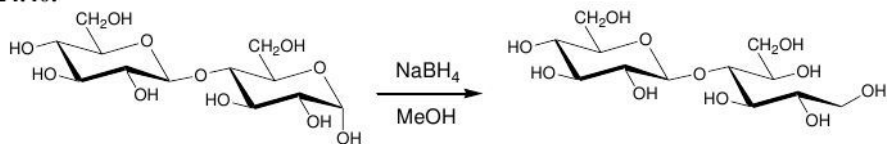


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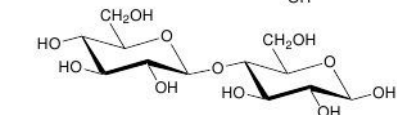
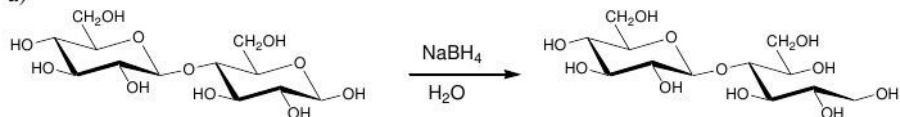


24.39.

- Yes, one of the anomeric positions bears an OH group.
- No, both anomeric positions bear acetal groups.
- No, both anomeric positions bear acetal groups.

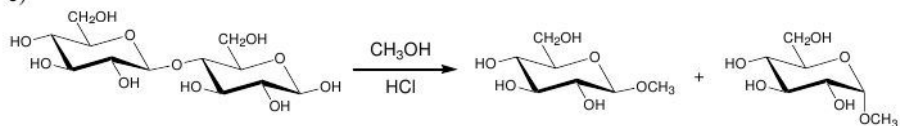
**24.40.****24.41.**

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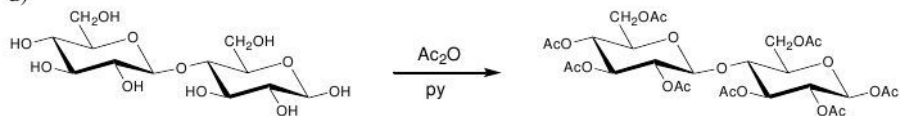


b)

c)



d)

**24.42.**

- a) a D-aldotetrose      b) an L-aldopentose      c) a D-aldopentose  
d) a D-aldohexose      e) a D-ketopentose

**24.43.**

- a) D-glyceraldehyde      b) L-glyceraldehyde      c) D-glyceraldehyde      d) L-glyceraldehyde

**24.44.**

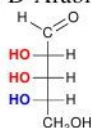
- a) D-Glucose      b) D-Mannose      c) D-Galactose      d) L-Glucose



**24.45.**

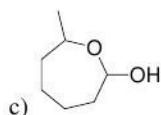
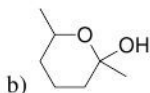
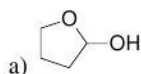
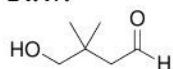
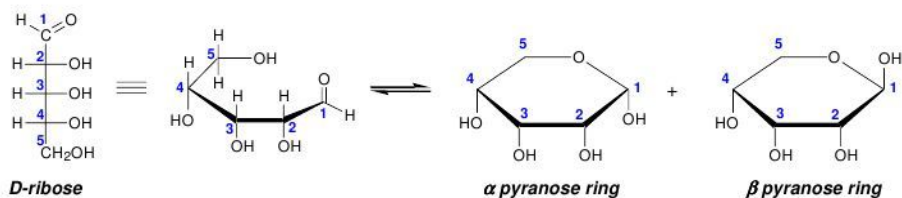
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b) D-Arabinose

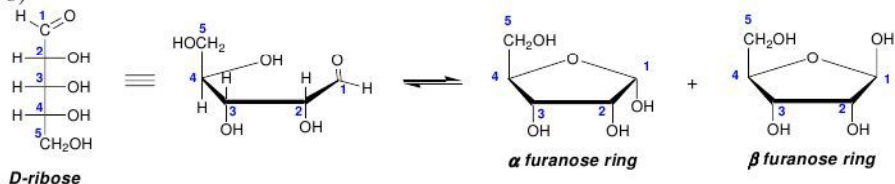
c) *L*-Ribose

d) Same compound

e) Diastereomers

**24.46.****24.47.****24.48.**

b)

**24.49.**

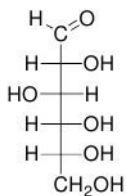
a) epimers

b) diastereomers

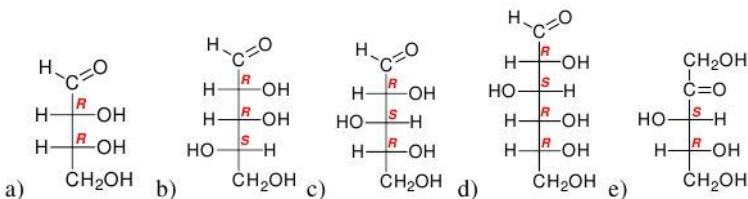
c) enantiomers

d) identical compounds

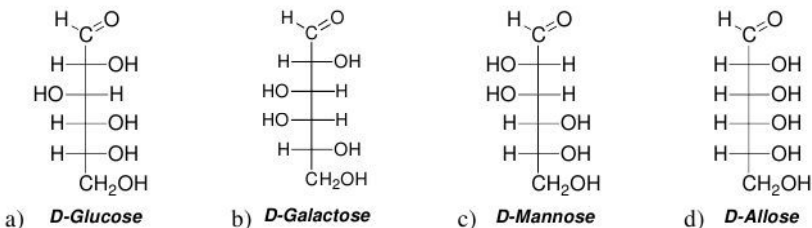
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**D-Glucose**

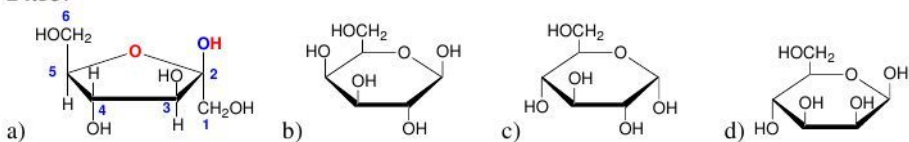
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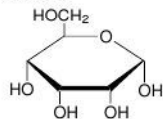
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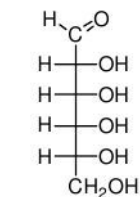
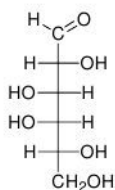
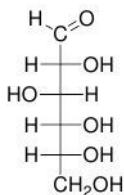
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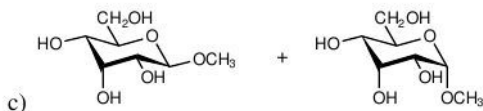
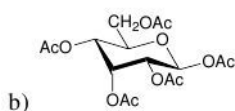
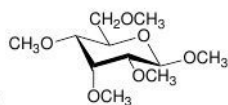
24.55.

- a)  $\alpha$ -D-allopyranose  
 b)  $\beta$ -D-galactopyranose  
 c) methyl  $\beta$ -D-glucopyranoside

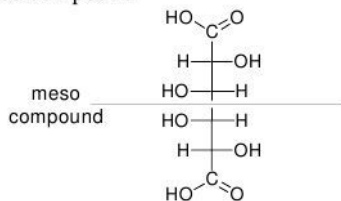
24.56.

a) *D-Allose*b) *D-Galactose*c) *D-Glucose*

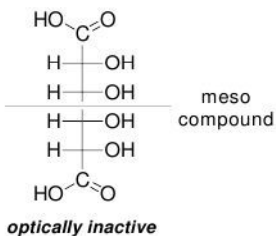
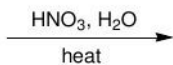
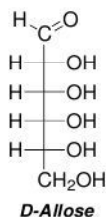
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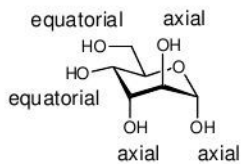
24.58. The product is a meso compound



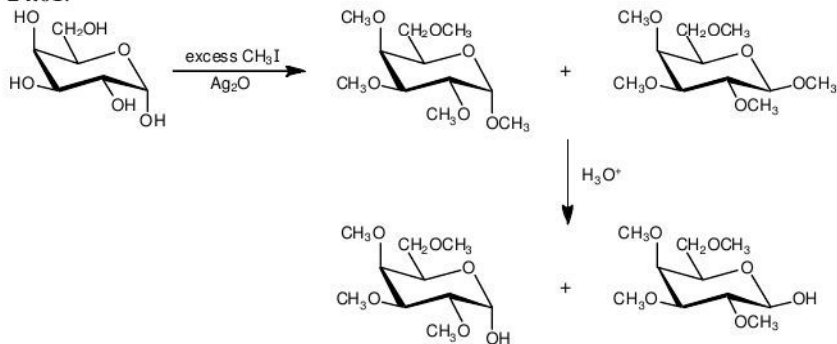
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24.60.



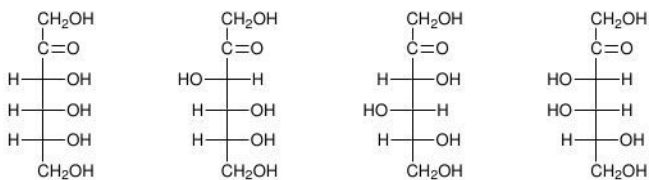
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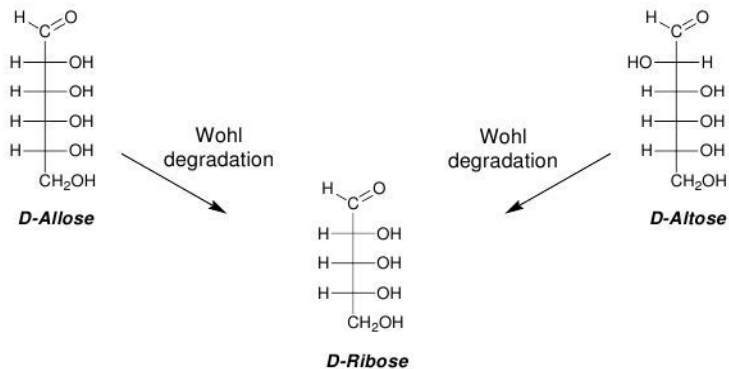
24.62.

- a) diastereomers  
b) same compound

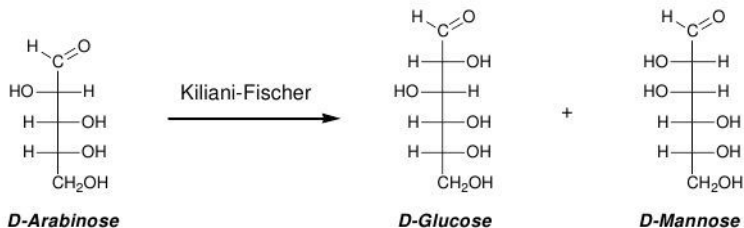
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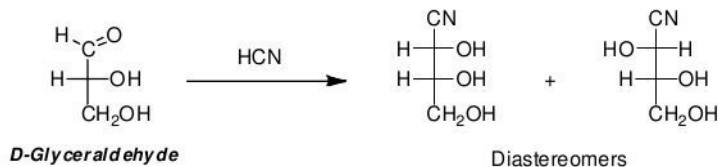
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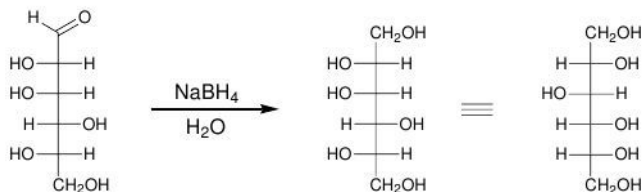
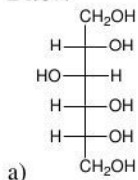
24.65.



24.66.



24.67.

b) *L-Gulose*

24.68. D-Allose and D-Galactose

24.69.

- a) This compound will not be a reducing sugar because the anomeric position is an acetal group.
- b) This compound will be a reducing sugar because the anomeric position bears an OH group.

**24.70.**

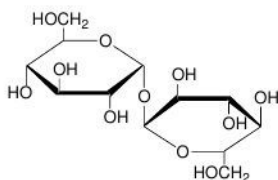
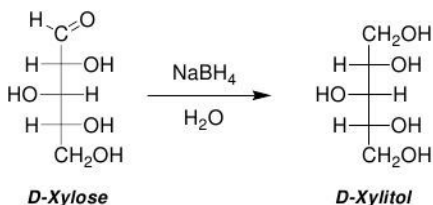
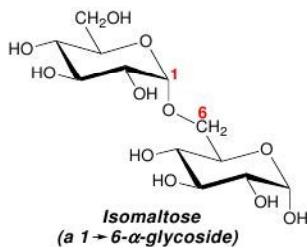
- a)  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ,  $\text{HCl}$
- b)  $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$ ,  $\text{HCl}$
- c)  $\text{HNO}_3$ ,  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$ , heat
- d) excess  $\text{CH}_3\text{I}$ ,  $\text{Ag}_2\text{O}$  followed by  $\text{H}_3\text{O}^+$

**24.71.**

- a)  $\alpha$ -D-glucopyranose and  $\beta$ -D-glucopyranose
- b)  $\alpha$ -D-galactopyranose and  $\beta$ -D-galactopyranose

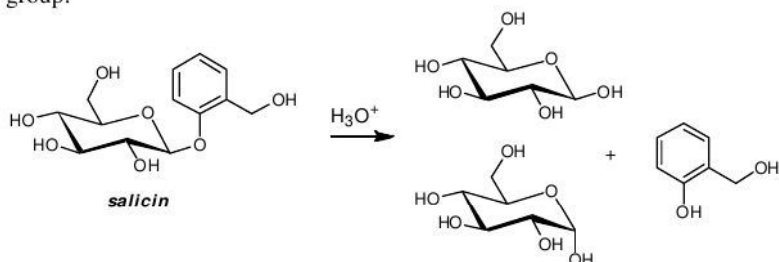
**24.72.**

- a) D-Arabinose
- b) D-Ribose and D-xylose
- c) D-xylose
- d) D-xylose

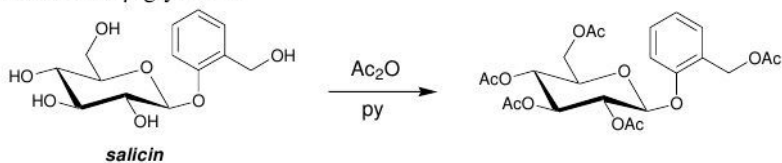
**24.73.****24.74.****24.75.**

24.76.

- a) No, it is not a reducing sugar because the anomeric position has an acetal group.

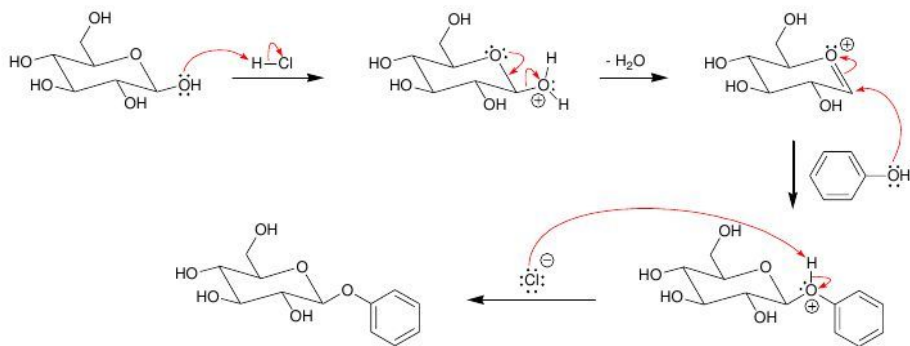


- b)  
c) Salicin is a  $\beta$ -glycoside.

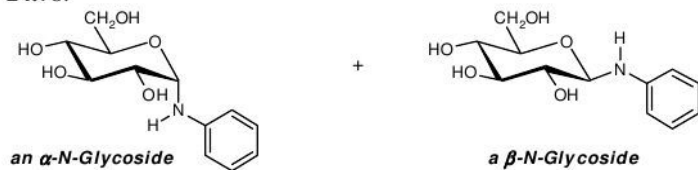


- d)  
e) No. In the absence of acid catalysis, the acetal group is not readily hydrolyzed.

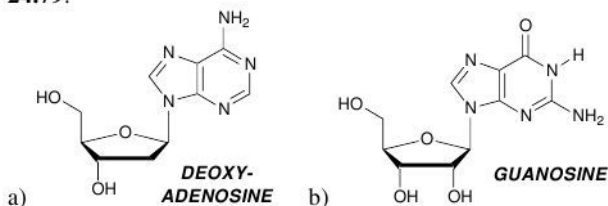
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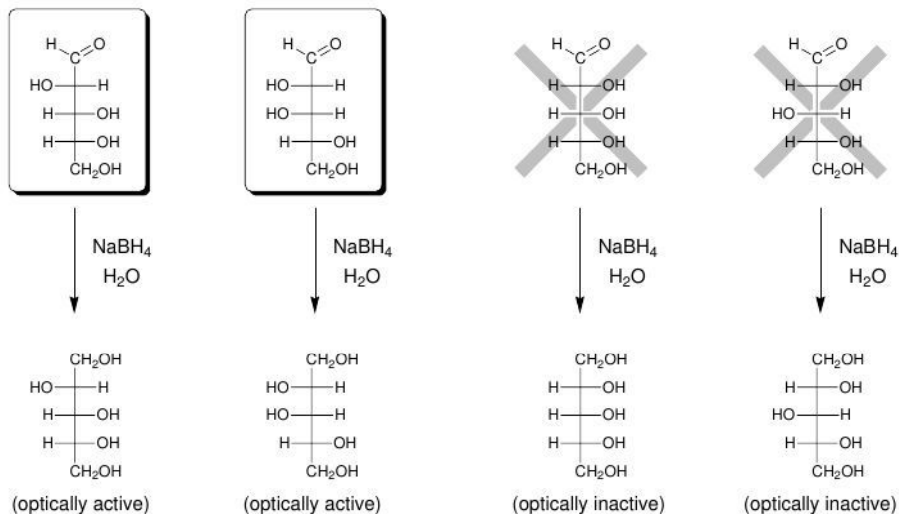
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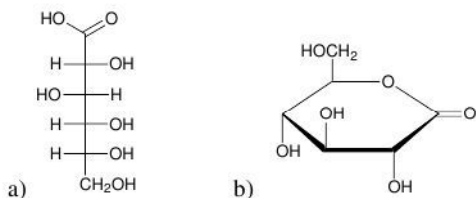
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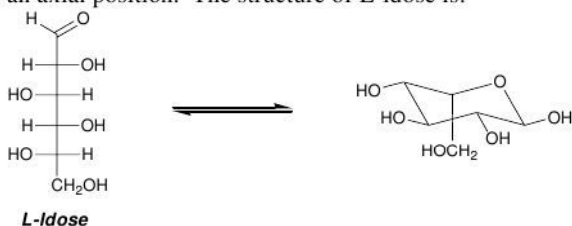


c) Yes. The compound has chirality centers, and it is not a meso compound. Therefore, it will be optically active.

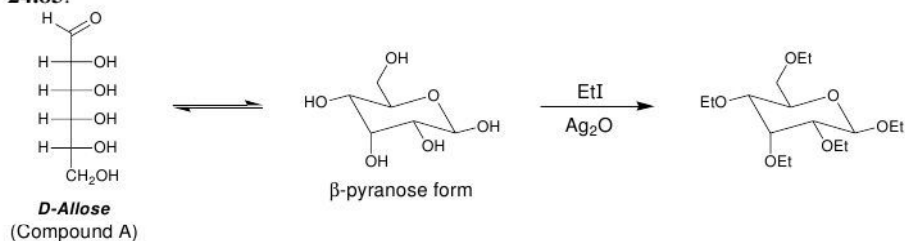
d) The gluconic acid is a carboxylic acid and its IR spectrum is expected to have a broad signal between 2500 and 3600 cm<sup>-1</sup>. The IR spectrum of the lactone will not have this broad signal.



- 24.82.** In order for the  $\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  group to occupy an equatorial position, all of the OH groups on the ring must occupy axial positions. The combined steric hindrance of all the OH groups is more than the steric hindrance associated with one  $\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  group. Therefore, the equilibrium will favor the form in which the  $\text{CH}_2\text{OH}$  group occupies an axial position. The structure of L-idose is:

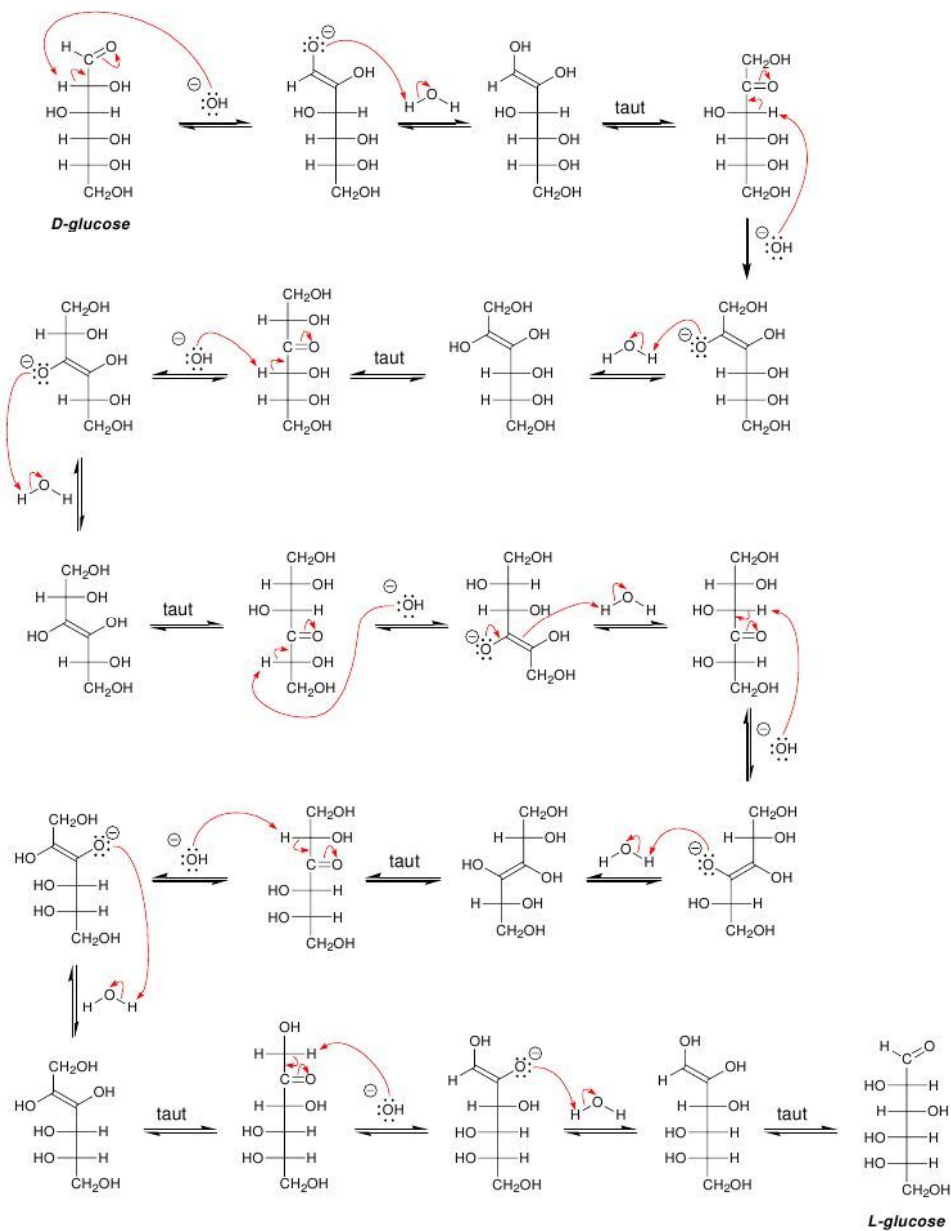


**24.83.**



- 24.84.** Glucose can adopt a chair conformation in which all of the substituents on the ring occupy equatorial positions. Therefore, D-glucose can achieve a lower energy conformation than any of the other D-aldohexoses.

**24.85.**



**24.86.** Compound X is a D-aldohexose that can adopt a  $\beta$ -pyranose form with only one axial substituent. Recall that D-glucose has all substituents in equatorial positions, so compound X must be epimeric with D-glucose either at C2 (D-mannose), C3 (D-allose), or C4 (D-galactose).

Compound X undergoes a Wohl degradation to produce an aldopentose, which is converted into an optically active alditol when treated with sodium borohydride. Therefore, compound X cannot be D-allose, because a Wohl degradation of D-allose followed by reduction produces an optically *inactive* alditol.

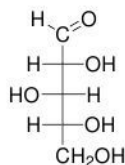
We conclude that compound X must be either D-mannose or D-galactose.

The identity of compound X can be determined by treating compound X with sodium borohydride. Reduction of D-mannose should give an optically active alditol, while reduction of D-galactose gives an optically inactive alditol.

**24.87.** Compound A is a D-aldopentose. Therefore, there are four possible structures to consider (Figure 24.4).

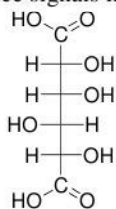
When treated with sodium borohydride, compound A is converted into an alditol that exhibits three signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum. Therefore, compound A must be D-ribose or D-xylose both of which are reduced to give symmetrical alditols (thus, three signals for five carbon atoms).

When compound A undergoes a Kiliani-Fischer synthesis, both products can be treated with nitric acid to give optically active aldaric acids. Therefore, compound A cannot be D-ribose, because when D-ribose undergoes a Kiliani-Fischer synthesis, one of the products is D-allose, which is oxidized to give an optically inactive aldaric acid. We conclude that the structure of compound A must be D-xylose.

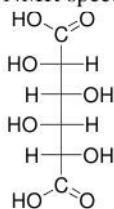


a) **D-Xylose**

b) Compound D is expected to have six signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum, while compound E is expected to have only three signals in its  $^{13}\text{C}$  NMR spectrum.



Compound D



Compound E

# Chapter 25

## Amino Acids, Peptides, and Proteins

### Review of Concepts

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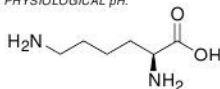
- Amino acids in which the two functional groups are separated by exactly one carbon atom are called \_\_\_\_\_ **amino acids**.
- Amino acids are coupled together by amide linkages called \_\_\_\_\_ **bonds**.
- Relatively short chains of amino acids are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Only twenty amino acids are abundantly found in proteins, all of which are \_\_\_\_\_ **amino acids**, except for \_\_\_\_\_ which lacks a chirality center.
- Amino acids exist primarily as \_\_\_\_\_ at physiological pH
- The \_\_\_\_\_ of an amino acid is the pH at which the concentration of the zwitterionic form reaches its maximum value.
- Peptides are comprised of **amino acid** \_\_\_\_\_ joined by peptide bonds.
- Peptide bonds experience restricted rotation, giving rise to two possible conformations, called \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_. The \_\_\_\_\_ conformation is more stable.
- Cysteine residues are uniquely capable of being joined to one another via \_\_\_\_\_ **bridges**.
- \_\_\_\_\_ is commonly used to form peptide bonds.
- In the **Merrifield synthesis**, a peptide chain is assembled while tethered to \_\_\_\_\_.
- The **primary structure** of a protein is the sequence of \_\_\_\_\_.
- The **secondary structure** of a protein refers to the \_\_\_\_\_ of localized regions of the protein. Two particularly stable arrangements are the \_\_\_\_\_ **helix** and \_\_\_\_\_ **pleated sheet**.
- The **tertiary structure** of a protein refers to its \_\_\_\_\_.
- Under conditions of mild heating, a protein can unfold, a process called \_\_\_\_\_.
- **Quaternary structure** arises when a protein consists of two or more folded polypeptide chains, called \_\_\_\_\_, that aggregate to form one protein complex.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 25. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

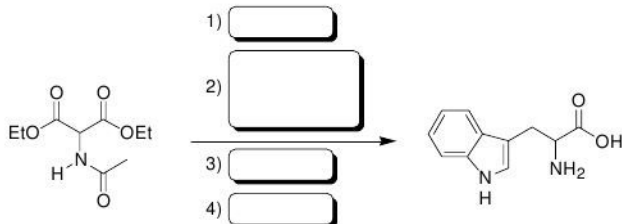
### 25.1 Determining the Predominant Form of an Amino Acid at a Specific pH

CONSIDER THE FOLLOWING AMINO ACID, AND DRAW THE FORM THAT PREDOMINATES AT PHYSIOLOGICAL pH.



### 25.2 Using the Amidomalonnate Synthesis

IDENTIFY REAGENTS THAT WILL ACHIEVE THE FOLLOWING TRANSFORMATION:



### 25.3 Drawing a Peptide

DRAW A BOND-LINE STRUCTURE FOR THE TRIPEPTIDE Phe-Val-Trp.



### 25.4 Sequencing a Peptide via Enzymatic Cleavage

IDENTIFY THE FRAGMENTS OBTAINED FROM ENZYMATIC CLEAVAGE OF THE FOLLOWING PEPTIDE:

Ala-Phe-Lys-Pro-Met-Tyr-Gly-Arg-Ser-Trp-Leu-His

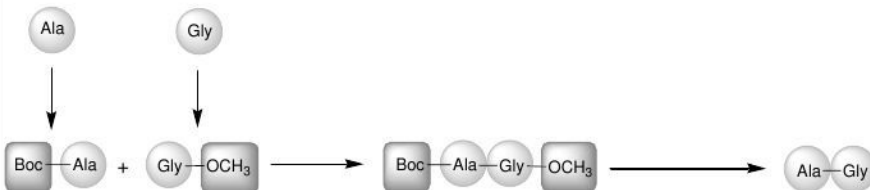
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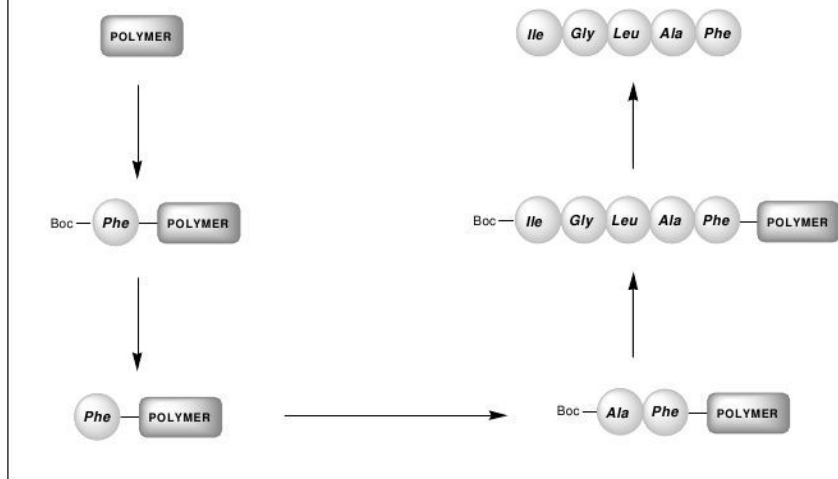
## 25.5 Planning the Synthesis of a Dipeptide

IDENTIFY ALL REAGENTS NECESSARY TO PREPARE THE DIPEPTIDE Ala-Gly:



## 25.6 Preparing a Peptide using the Merrifield Synthesis

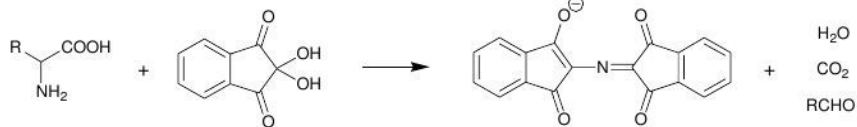
IDENTIFY ALL REAGENTS NECESSARY TO PREPARE THE PENTAPEPTIDE Ile-Gly-Leu-Ala-Phe:

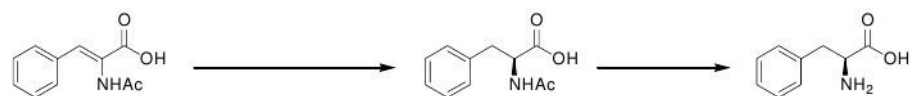
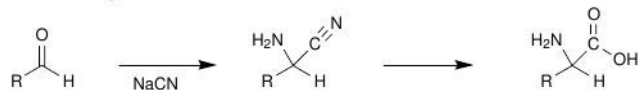
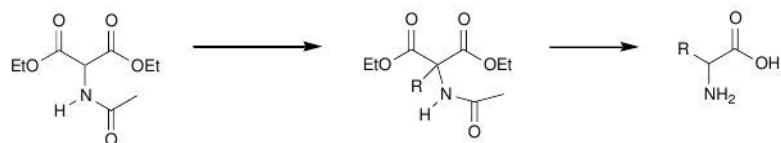
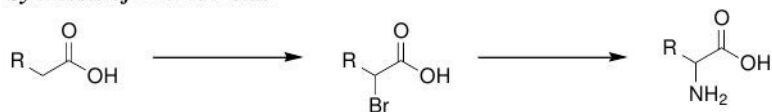
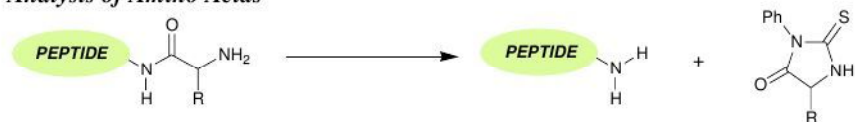
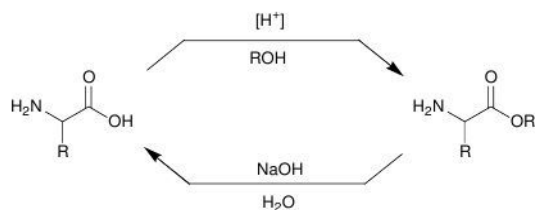
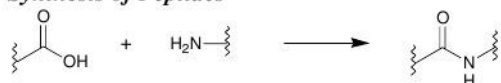


## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 25. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

### Analysis of Amino Acids



*Synthesis of Amino Acids**Analysis of Amino Acids**Synthesis of Peptides*

## Solutions

25.1. In each case, the chirality center has the *R* configuration.

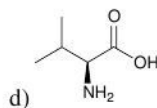
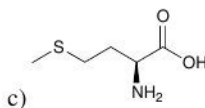
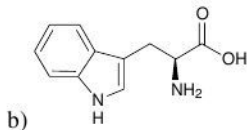
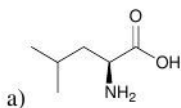


**D-Alanine**



**D-Valine**

25.2.



25.3.

a) Pro, Phe, Trp, Tyr, and His

b) Phe, Trp, Tyr, and His

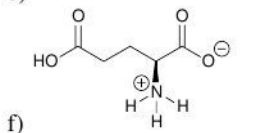
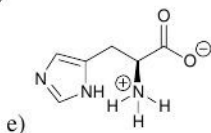
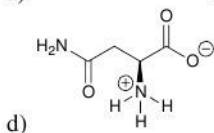
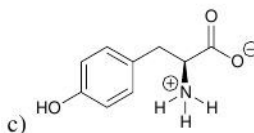
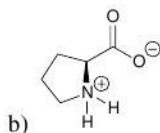
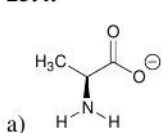
c) Arg, His, and Lys

d) Met and Cys

e) Asp and Glu

f) Pro, Trp, Asn, Gln, Ser, Thr, Tyr, Cys, Asp, Glu, Arg, His, and Lys

25.4.



25.5. Arginine has a basic side chain, while asparagine does not. At a pH of 11, arginine exists predominantly in a form in which the side chain is protonated. Therefore, it can serve as a proton donor.

25.6. Tyrosine possesses a phenolic proton which is more readily deprotonated because deprotonation forms a resonance-stabilized phenolate ion. In contrast, deprotonation of the OH group of serine gives an alkoxide ion that is not resonance-stabilized. As a result, the OH group of tyrosine is more acidic than the OH group of serine.



**25.7.**

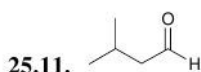
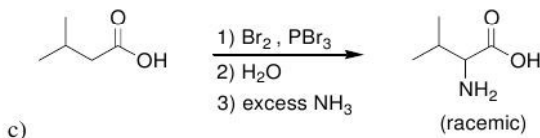
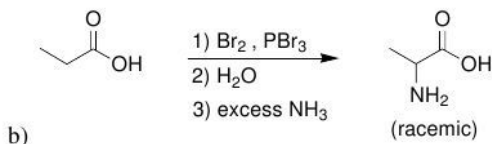
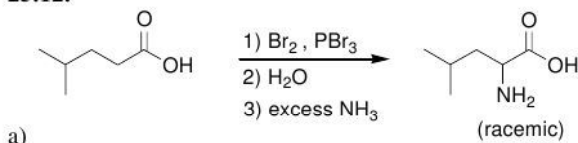
- a) 2.77      b) 5.98      c) 9.74      d) 6.30

**25.8.**

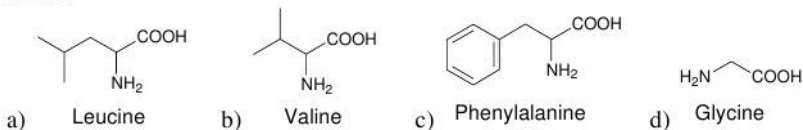
- a) aspartic acid  
b) glutamic acid

**25.9.** Leucine and isoleucine**25.10.** The pI of Phe = 5.48, the pI of Trp = 6.11, and the pI of Leu = 6.00.

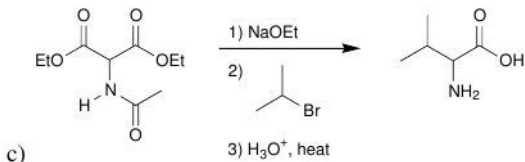
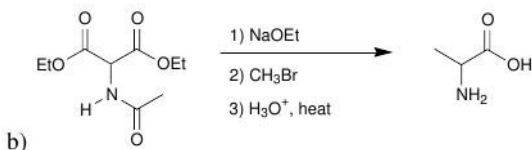
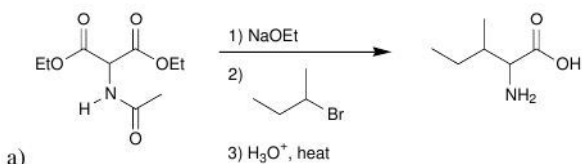
- a) At pH = 6.0, Phe will travel the farthest distance.  
b) At pH = 5.0, Trp will travel the farthest distance.

**25.12.**

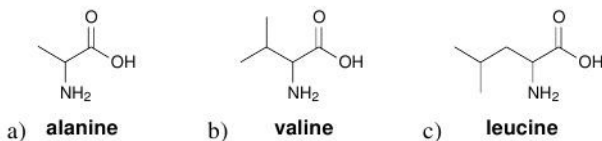
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## 25.14.

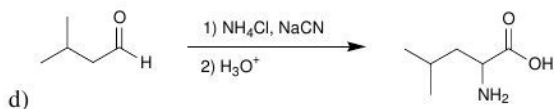
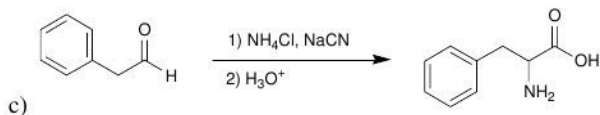
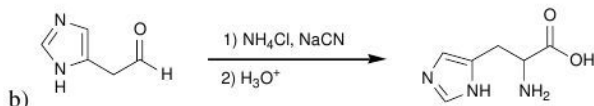
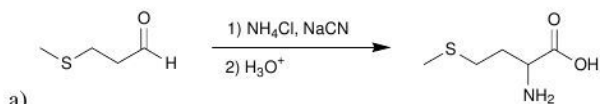


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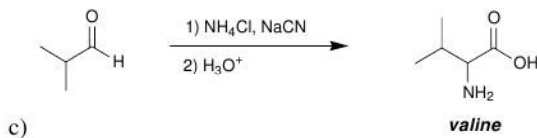
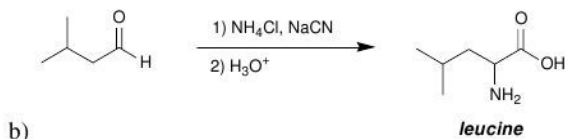
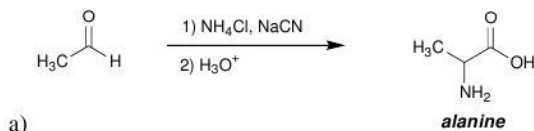


**25.16.** Leucine can be prepared via the amidomalonate synthesis with higher yields than isoleucine, because the former requires an  $S_N2$  reaction with a primary alkyl halide, while the latter requires an  $S_N2$  reaction with a secondary (more hindered) alkyl halide.

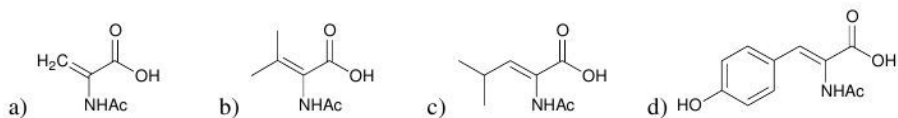
## 25.17.



## 25.18.

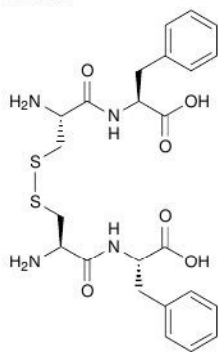


## 25.19.

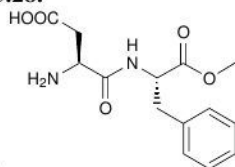




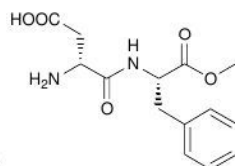
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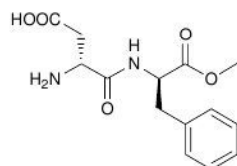
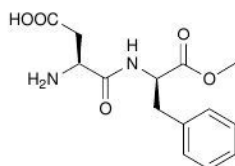
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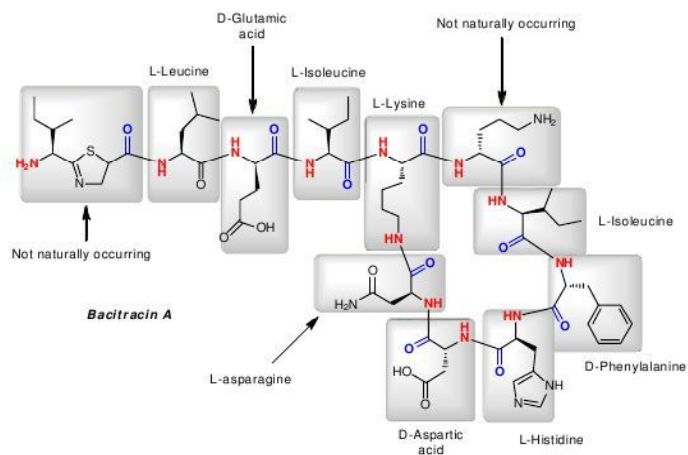
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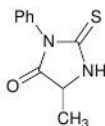
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25.29.



**25.30.** An Edman degradation will remove the amino acid residue at the N terminus, and Ala is the N terminus in Ala-Phe-Val. Therefore, alanine is removed, giving the following PTH derivative:



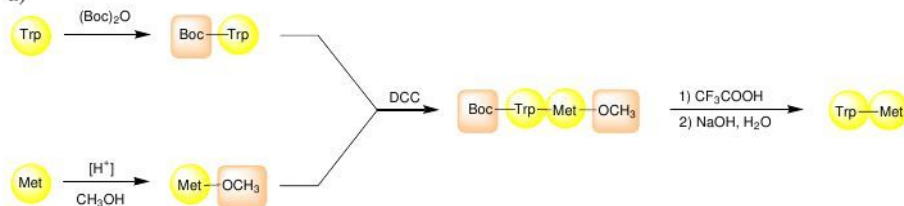
**25.31.**  
Met-Phe-Val-Ala-Tyr-Lys-Pro-Val-Ile-Leu-Arg-Trp-His-Phe-Met-Cys-Arg-Gly-Pro-Phe-Ala-Val

**25.32.** Ala-Phe-Val-Lys

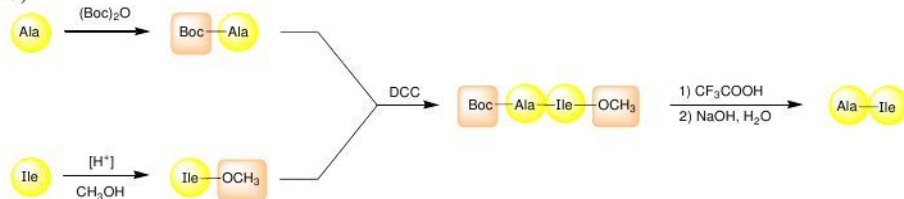
**25.33.** Cleavage with trypsin will produce Phe-Arg, while cleavage with chymotrypsin will produce Arg-Phe. These dipeptides are not the same. They are constitutional isomers.

**25.34.**

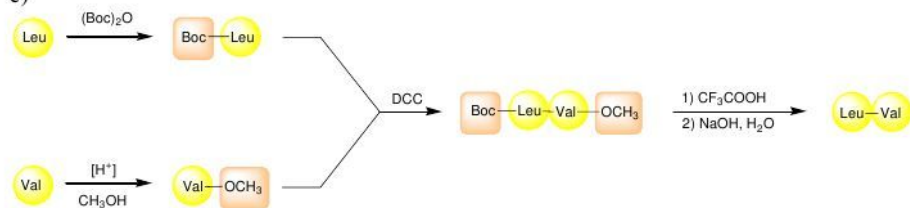
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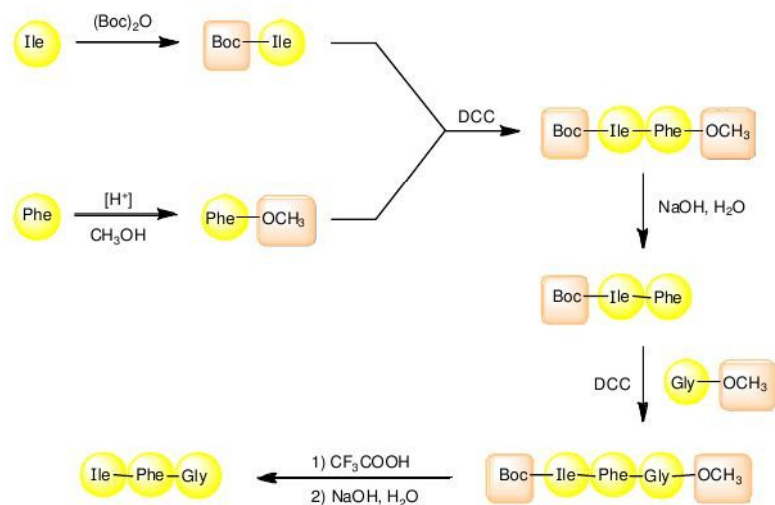
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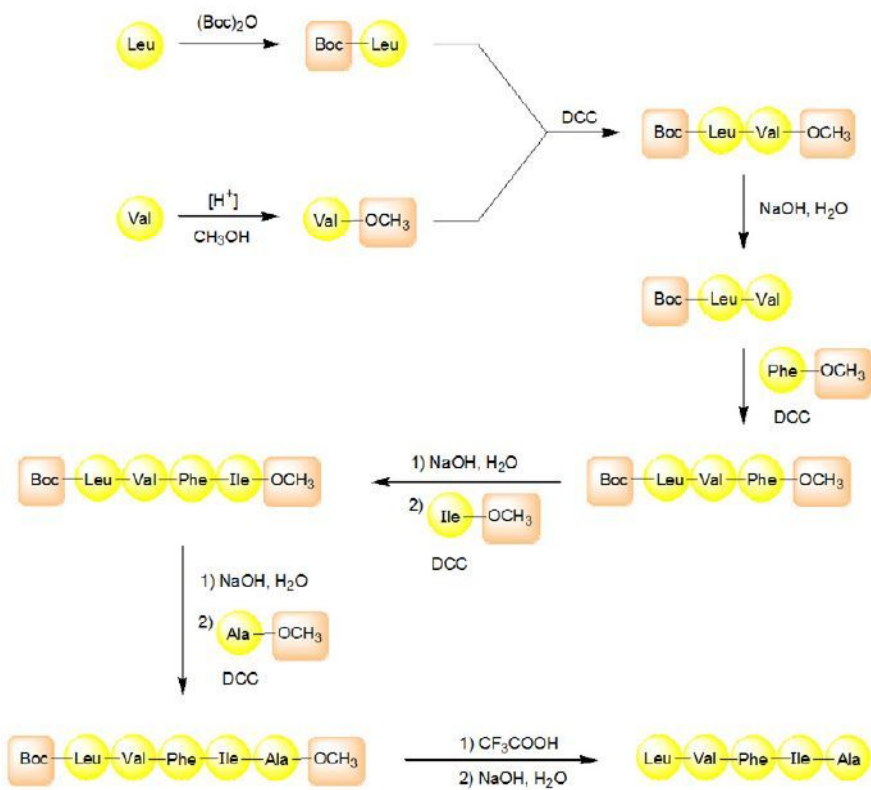
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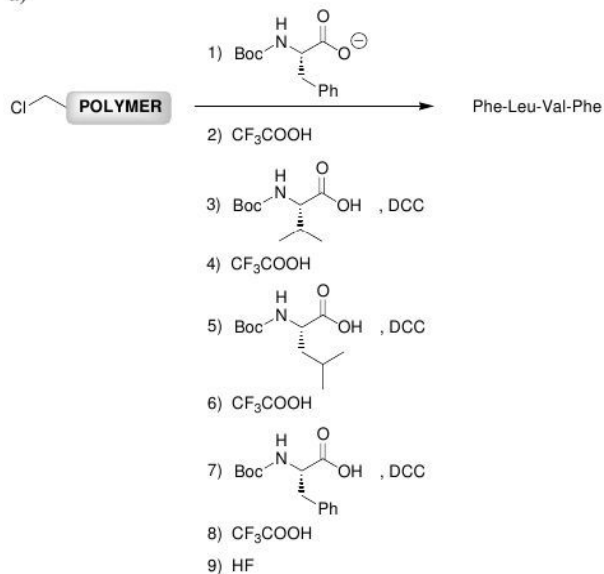
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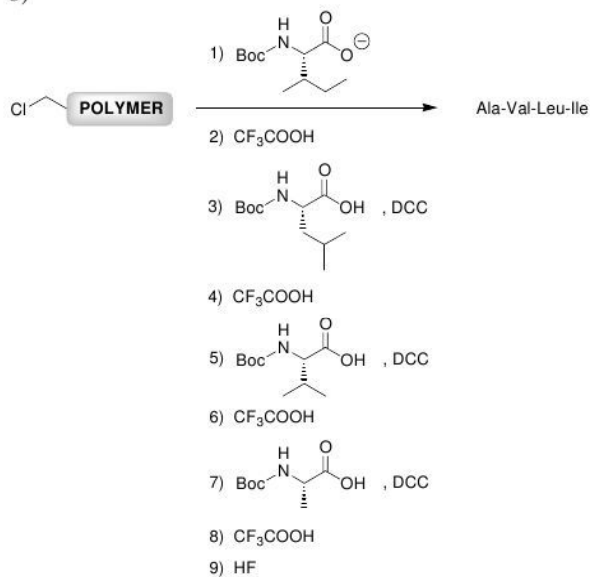


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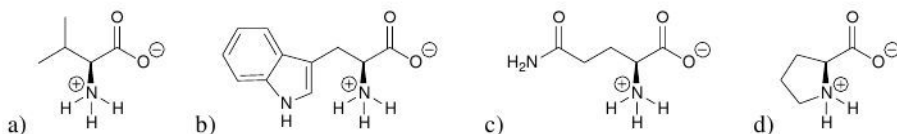


**25.38.** (N terminus) Val-Ala-Phe (C terminus)

**25.39.** The regions that contain repeating glycine and/or alanine units are the most likely regions to form  $\beta$  sheets:

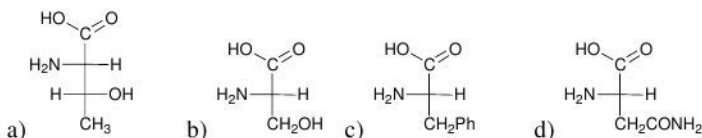
Trp-His-Pro-Ala-Gly-Gly-Ala-Val-His-Cyst-Asp-Ser-Arg-Arg-Ala-Gly-Ala-Phe

**25.40.**



**25.41.** When applying the Cahn-Ingold-Prelog convention for assigning the configuration of a chirality center, the amino group generally receives the highest priority (1), followed by the carboxylic acid moiety (2), followed the side chain (3), and finally the H (4). Accordingly, the *S* configuration is assigned to L amino acids. Cysteine is the one exception because the side chain has a higher priority than the carboxylic acid moiety. As a result, the *R* configuration is assigned.

**25.42.**



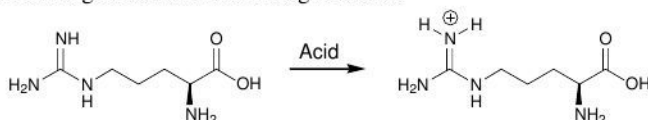
**25.43.**

- a) Isoleucine and threonine  
b) Isoleucine =  $2S,3S$ . Threonine =  $2S,3R$

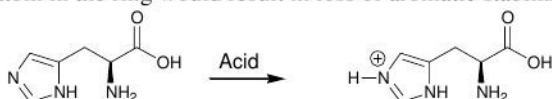
**25.44.**



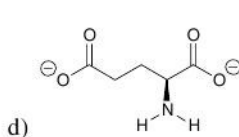
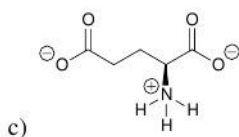
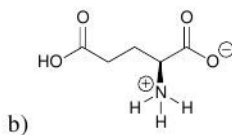
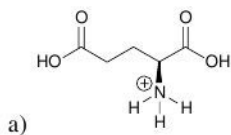
**25.45.** The protonated form below is highly stabilized by resonance, which spreads the positive charge over all three nitrogen atoms.



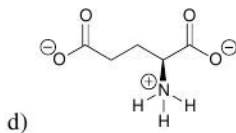
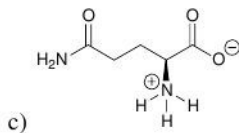
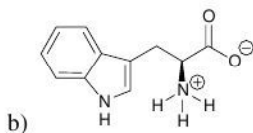
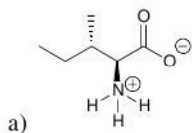
**25.46.** The protonated form below is aromatic. In contrast, protonation of the other nitrogen atom in the ring would result in loss of aromatic stabilization.



**25.47.**



**25.48.**

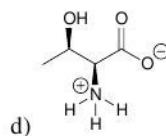
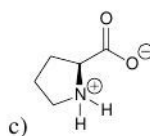
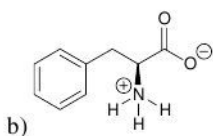
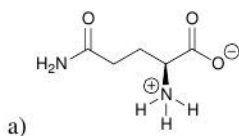


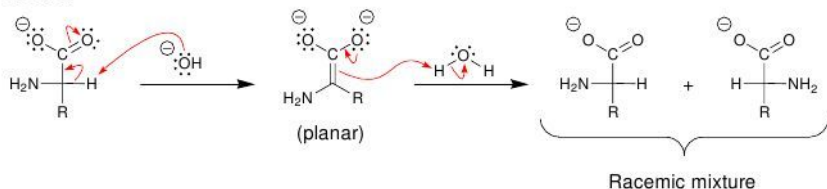
**25.49.**

a) 6.02      b) 5.41      c) 7.58      d) 3.22

**25.50.** Lysozyme is likely to be comprised primarily of amino acid residues that contain basic side chains (arginine, histidine, and lysine), while pepsin is comprised primarily of amino acid residues that contain acidic side chains (aspartic acid and glutamic acid).

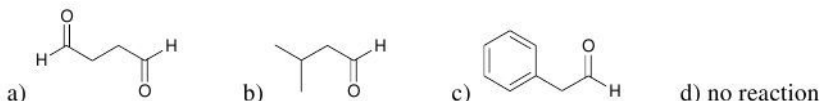
**25.51.**



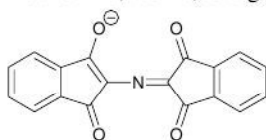
**25.52.****25.53.**

The pI of Gly = 5.97, the pI of Gln = 5.65, and the pI of Asn = 5.41.

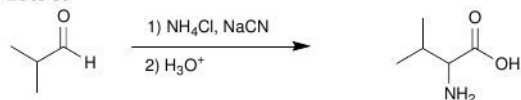
- a) At pH = 6.0, Asn will travel the farthest distance.  
 b) At pH = 5.0, Gly will travel the farthest distance.

**25.54.****25.55.**

- a) Methionine, valine, and glycine.

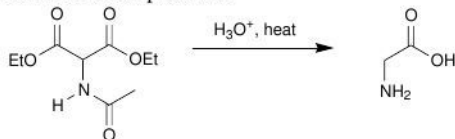


- b)
- c) The compound is highly conjugated and has a  $\lambda_{\text{max}}$  that is greater than 400 nm (see Section 17.12)

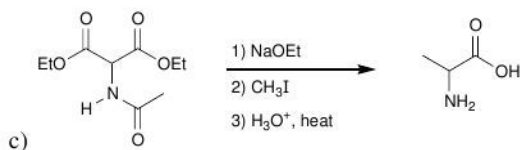
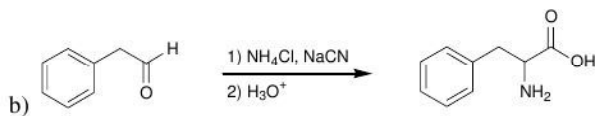
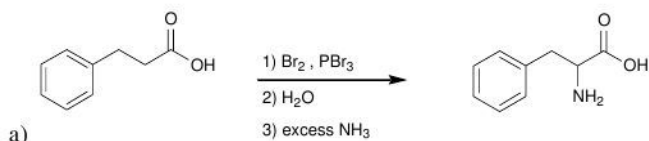
**25.56.**

**25.57.** Alanine can be prepared via the amidomalonate synthesis with higher yields than valine, because the former requires an  $S_N2$  reaction with a primary alkyl halide, while the latter requires an  $S_N2$  reaction with a secondary (more hindered) alkyl halide.

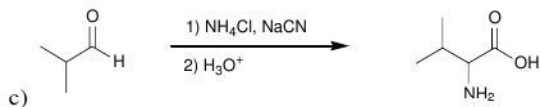
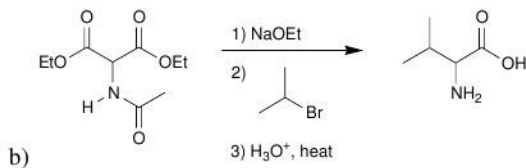
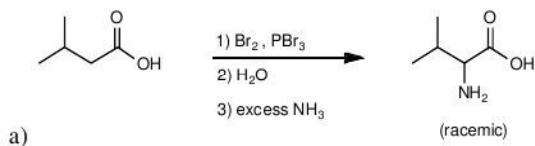
**25.58.** The side chain (R) of glycine is a hydrogen atom (H). Therefore, no alkyl group needs to be installed at the  $\alpha$  position.



## 25.59.

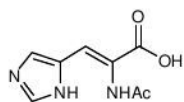


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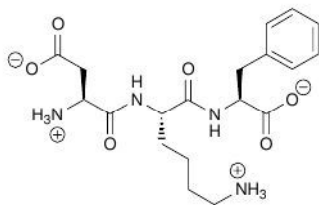
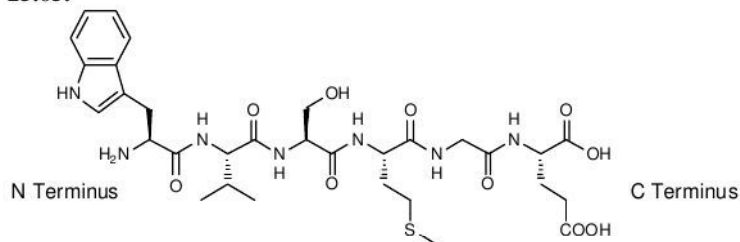
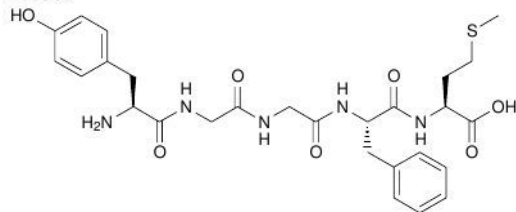
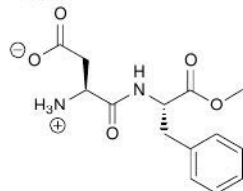
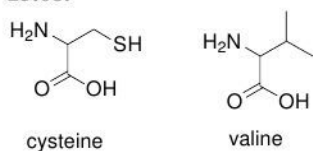
25.61.  $20^5 = 3,200,000$

## 25.62.

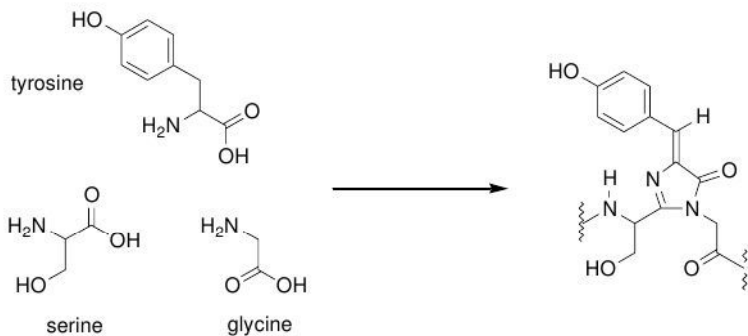


**25.63.**

- 1) Leu-Met-Val,      2) Leu-Val-Met,      3) Met-Val-Leu,  
 4) Met-Leu-Val,      5) Val-Met-Leu,      6) Val-Leu-Met

**25.64.****25.65.****25.66.****25.67.****25.68.**

25.69.



25.70. It does not react with phenyl isothiocyanate so it must not have a free N terminus. It must be a cyclic tripeptide:

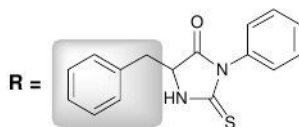


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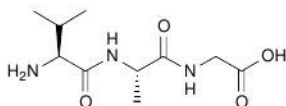
a) *Arg* + *Pro-Pro-Gly-Phe-Ser-Pro-Phe-Arg*

b) *Arg-Pro-Pro-Gly-Phe* + *Ser-Pro-Phe* + *Arg*

25.72. Phenylalanine



25.73. Val-Ala-Gly:

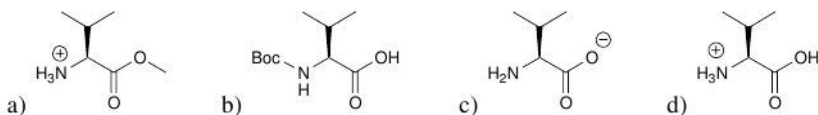


**25.74.** There cannot be any disulfide bridges in this peptide, because it has no cysteine residues, and only cysteine residues form disulfide bridges.

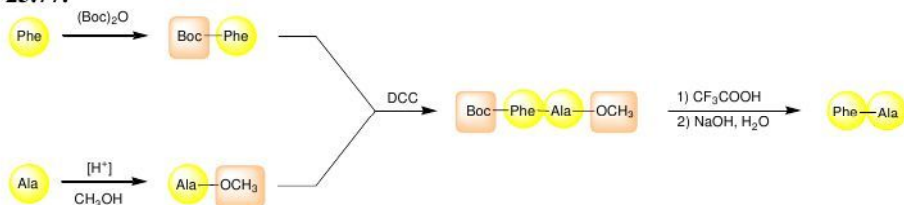
His-Ser-Gln-Gly-Thr-Phe-Thr-Ser-Asp-Tyr-Ser-Lys-Tyr-Leu-Asp-Ser-Arg-Arg-Ala-Gln-Asp-Phe-Val-Gln-Trp-Leu-Met-Asn-Thr

**25.75.** Prior to acylation, the nitrogen atom of the amino group is sufficiently nucleophilic to attack phenyl isothiocyanate. Acylation converts the amino group into an amide moiety, and the lone pair of the nitrogen atom is delocalized via resonance, rendering it much less nucleophilic.

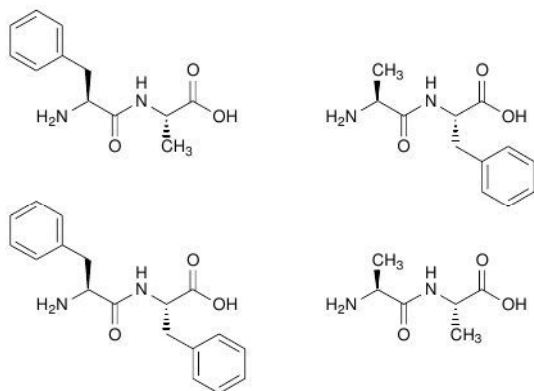
**25.76.**



**25.77.**

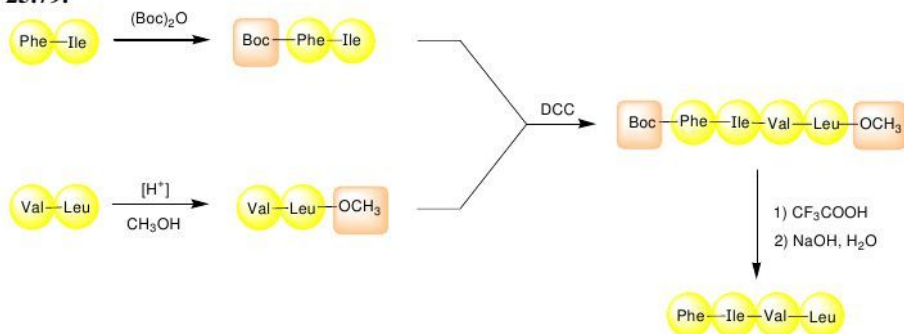


**25.78.**

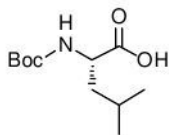
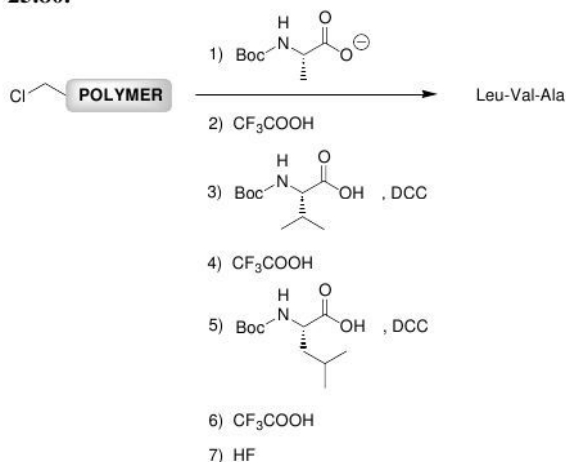




25.79.



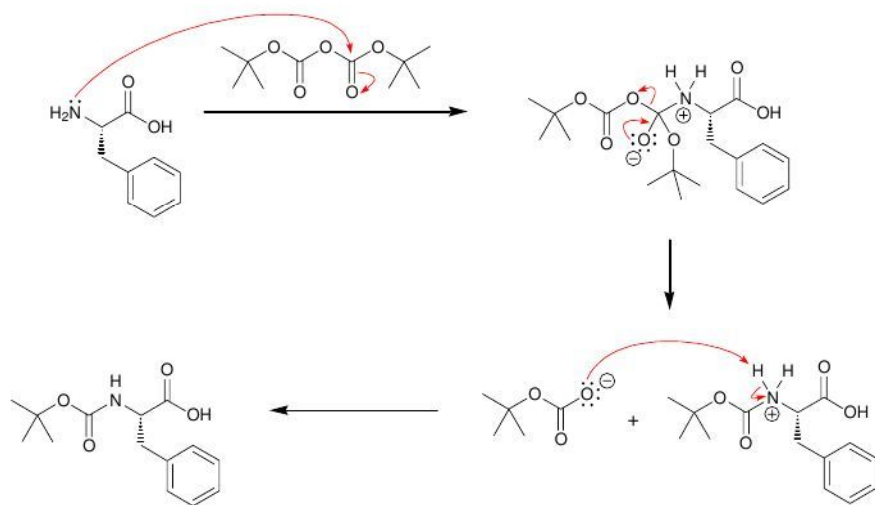
25.80.



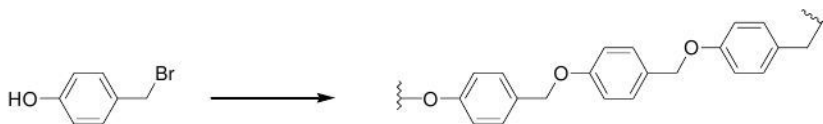
25.81.

25.82. A proline residue cannot be part of an  $\alpha$  helix, because it lacks an N-H proton and does not participate in hydrogen bonding. (The amino acid proline does indeed have an N-H group, but when incorporated into a peptide, the proline residue does not have an N-H group)

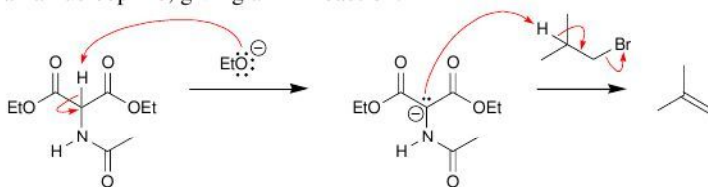
25.83.



25.84.

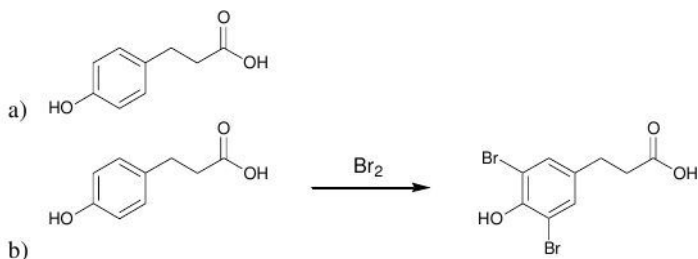


25.85. The stabilized enolate ion (formed in the first step) can function as a base, rather than a nucleophile, giving an E2 reaction:



25.86. The lone pair on that nitrogen atom is highly delocalized via resonance and is participating in aromaticity. Accordingly, the lone pair is not free to function as a base.

25.87.

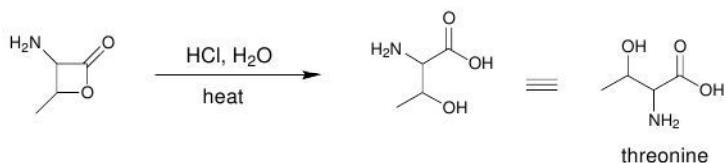


25.88. At low temperature, the barrier to rotation keeps the two methyl groups in different electronic environments (one is *cis* to the C=O bond and the other is *trans* to the C=O bond), and they therefore give rise to separate signals. At high temperature, there is sufficient energy to overcome the energy barrier, and the protons change electronic environments on a timescale that is faster than the timescale of the NMR spectrometer. The result is an averaging effect which gives rise to only one signal.

25.89.

- The COOH group does not readily undergo nucleophilic acyl substitution because the OH group is not a good leaving group. By converting the COOH group into an activated ester, the compound can now undergo nucleophilic acyl substitution because it has a good leaving group.
- The nitro group stabilizes the leaving group via resonance. As described in Chapter 19, the nitro group serves as a reservoir for electron density.
- The nitro group must be in the ortho or para position in order to stabilize the negative charge via resonance. If the nitro group is in the meta position, the negative charge cannot be pushed onto the nitro group.

25.90.



# Chapter 26

## Lipids

### Review of Concepts

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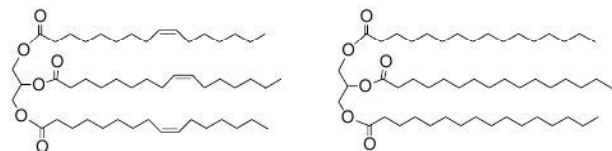
- **Lipids** are naturally occurring compounds that are extracted from cells using \_\_\_\_\_ solvents.
- **Complex lipids** readily undergo \_\_\_\_\_, while **simple lipids** do not.
- \_\_\_\_\_ are high molecular weight esters that are constructed from carboxylic acids and alcohols.
- \_\_\_\_\_ are the triesters formed from glycerol and three long-chain carboxylic acids, called **fatty acids**. The resulting triglyceride is said to contain three **fatty acid** \_\_\_\_\_.
- For saturated fatty acids, the melting point increases with increasing \_\_\_\_\_. The presence of a \_\_\_\_\_ double bond causes a decrease in the melting point.
- Triglycerides that are solids at room temperature are called \_\_\_\_\_, while those that are liquids at room temperature are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Triglycerides containing unsaturated fatty acid residues will undergo hydrogenation. During the hydrogenation process, some of the double bonds can isomerize to give \_\_\_\_\_  $\pi$  bonds.
- In the presence of molecular oxygen, triglycerides are particularly susceptible to oxidation at the \_\_\_\_\_ position to produce hydroperoxides.
- Transesterification of triglycerides can be achieved either via \_\_\_\_\_ catalysis or \_\_\_\_\_ catalysis to produce biodiesel.
- \_\_\_\_\_ are similar in structure to triglycerides except that one of the three fatty acid residues is replaced by a phosphoester group.
- The structures of **steroids** are based on a tetracyclic ring system, involving three six-membered rings and one \_\_\_\_\_-membered ring.
- The ring fusions are all \_\_\_\_\_ in most steroids, giving steroids their rigid geometry.
- All steroids, including cholesterol, are biosynthesized from \_\_\_\_\_.
- Prostaglandins contain twenty carbon atoms and are characterized by a \_\_\_\_\_-membered ring with two side chains.
- **Terpenes** are a class of naturally occurring compounds that can be thought of as being assembled from \_\_\_\_\_ units.
- A terpene with 10 carbon atoms is called a \_\_\_\_\_, while a terpene with 20 carbon atoms is called a \_\_\_\_\_.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 26. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

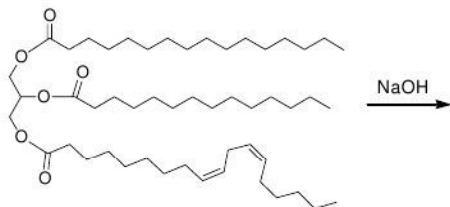
### 26.1 Comparing Molecular Properties of Triglycerides

CIRCLE THE TRIGLYCERIDE BELOW THAT IS EXPECTED TO HAVE A HIGHER MELTING POINT.



### 26.2 Identifying the Products of Triglyceride Hydrolysis

DRAW THE PRODUCTS OBTAINED WHEN THE FOLLOWING TRIGLYCERIDE IS TREATED WITH AQUEOUS SODIUM HYDROXIDE.



### 26.3 Drawing a Mechanism for Transesterification of a Triglyceride

#### PROTON TRANSFER

A \_\_\_\_\_ IS  
PROTONATED

#### NUCLEOPHILIC ATTACK

THE \_\_\_\_\_  
FUNCTIONS AS A  
NUCLEOPHILE AND  
ATTACKS THE  
PROTONATED  
CARBONYL GROUP

#### PROTON TRANSFER

THE RESULTING  
INTERMEDIATE  
IS DEPROTONATED,  
THEREBY REMOVING  
THE POSITIVE  
CHARGE

#### PROTON TRANSFER

THE \_\_\_\_\_ IS  
PROTONATED

#### LOSS OF A LEAVING GROUP

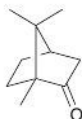
THE \_\_\_\_\_ IS  
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#### PROTON TRANSFER

DEPROTONATION  
YIELDS THE  
PRODUCT

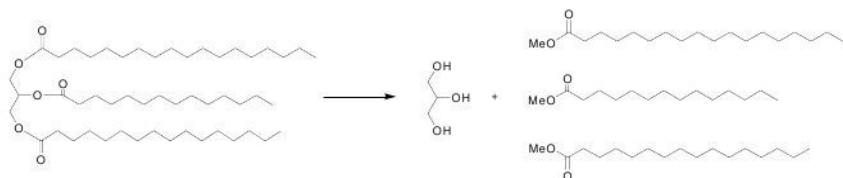
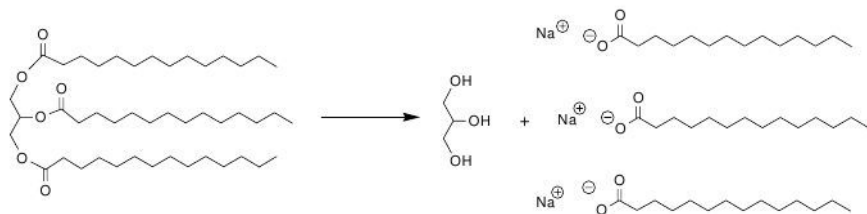
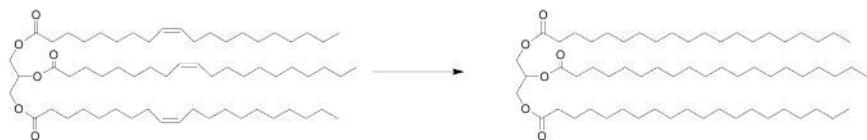
### 26.4 Identifying Isoprene Units in a Terpene

IDENTIFY THE  
ISOPRENE UNITS IN  
THE FOLLOWING  
TERPENE



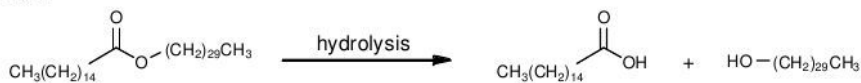
## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 26. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

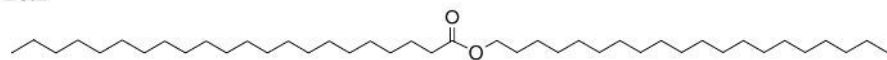


## Solutions

26.1



26.2



26.3.

- a) trimyristin<sup>o</sup>      b) triarachadin      c) triolein      d) tristearin

26.4.

tripalmitolein, tripalmitin, and tristearin

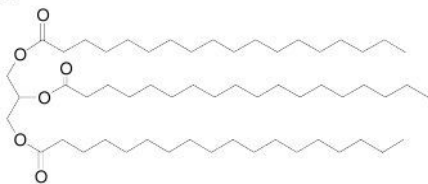
**26.5.** The fatty acid residues in triarachadin have more carbon atoms than the fatty acid residues in tristearin. Therefore, triarachadin is expected to have a higher melting point. It should be a solid at room temperature, and should therefore be classified as a fat, rather than an oil. Therefore, triglycerides made from lauric acid will also have a low melting point.

26.6.

a) All three fatty acid residues are saturated, with either 16 or 18 carbon atoms, so the triglyceride is expected to have a high melting point. It should be a solid at room temperature, so it is a fat.

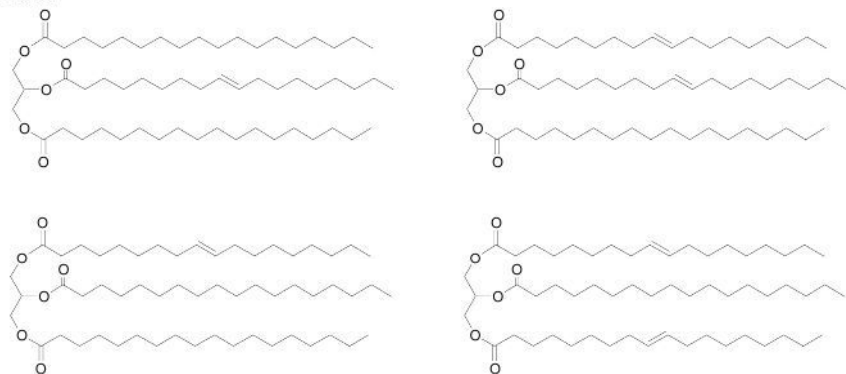
b) All three fatty acid residues are unsaturated, so the triglyceride is expected to have a low melting point. It should be a liquid at room temperature, so it is an oil.

26.7.

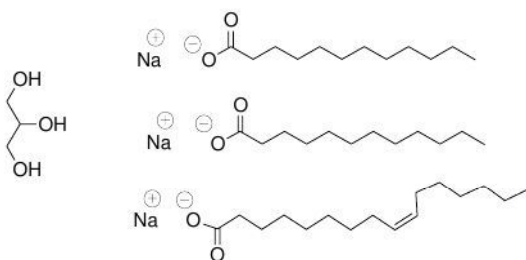


- a)  
b) Tristearin  
c) The melting point of tristearin is higher than triolein.  
d) Stearic acid

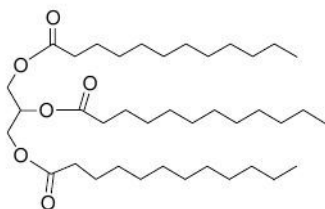
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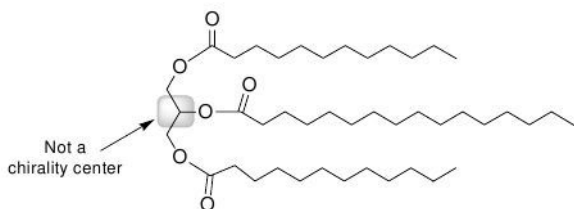
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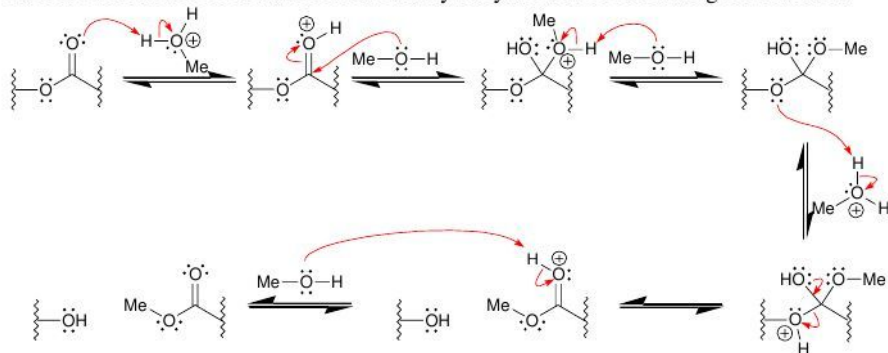


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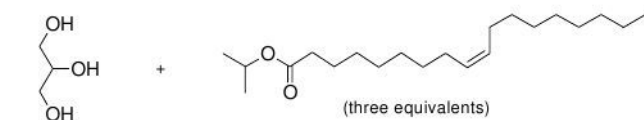




**26.12.** Each of the three ester moieties is hydrolyzed via the following mechanism:



**26.13.**

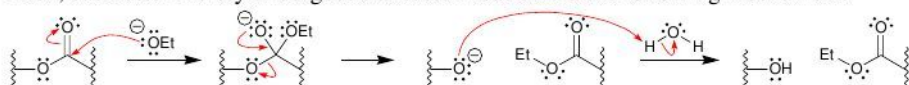


**26.14.**

a) Hydroxide functions as a catalyst by establishing an equilibrium in which some ethoxide ions are present.

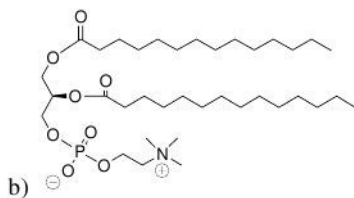
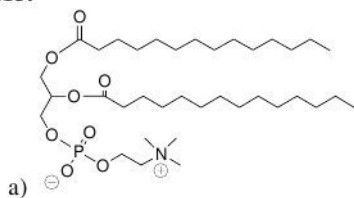


Then, each ester moiety undergoes transesterification via the following mechanism:



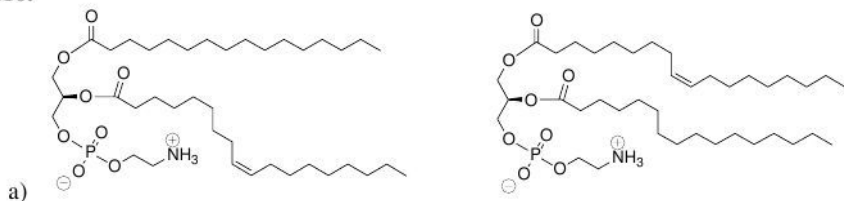
b) Hydroxide could function as a nucleophile and triglyceride would undergo hydrolysis rather than transesterification.

**26.15.**



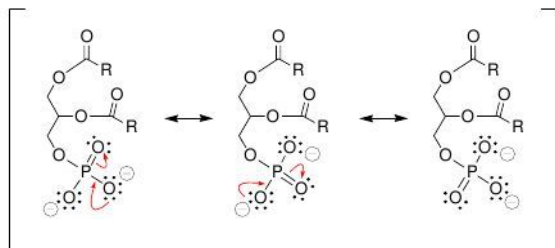
c) No. The C2 position would no longer be a chirality center.

26.16.



b) Yes. The C2 position would still be a chirality center.

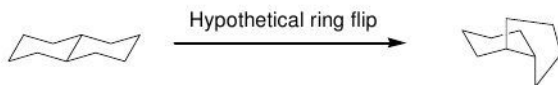
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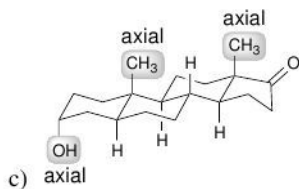
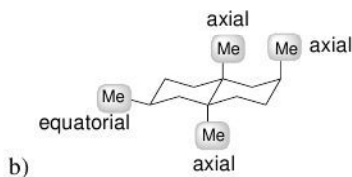
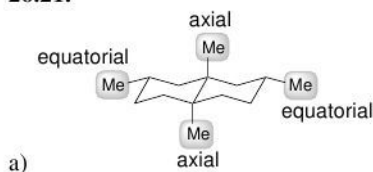
26.18. Octanol has a longer hydrophobic tail than hexanol and is therefore more efficient at crossing the nonpolar environment of the cell membrane.

26.19. No. Glycerol has three OH groups (hydrophilic) and no hydrophobic tail. It cannot cross the nonpolar environment of the cell membrane.

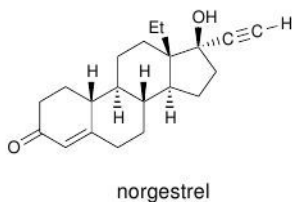
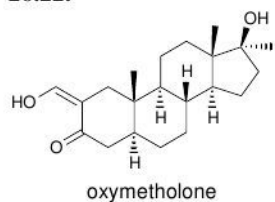
26.20. A ring-flip is not possible for *trans*-decalin because one of the rings would have to achieve a geometry that resembles a six-membered ring with a *trans*-alkene, which is not possible. The ring fusions of cholesterol all resemble the ring fusion in *trans*-decalin, so cholesterol cannot undergo ring-flipping.



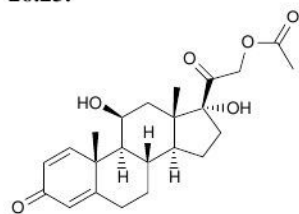
## 26.21.



## 26.22.



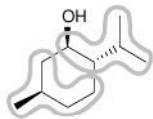
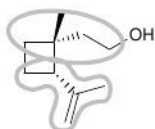
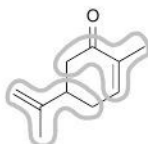
## 26.23.



26.24.

a) PGE<sub>1</sub>b) PGF<sub>1α</sub>

26.25.

a) **menthol**b) **grandisol**c) **carvone**

26.26.

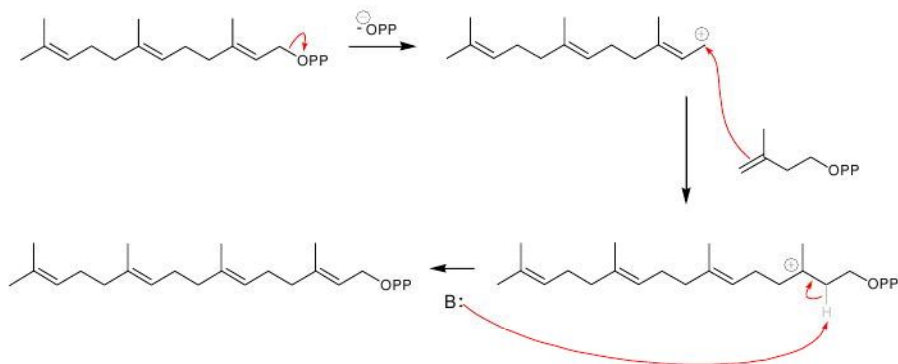
a) Yes, it has 10 carbon atoms, which are comprised by the joining of two isoprene units.

b) No, it has 11 carbon atoms.

c) No, it has 11 carbon atoms.

d) No. It has 10 carbon atoms, but the branching pattern cannot be achieved by joining two isoprene units.

26.27.



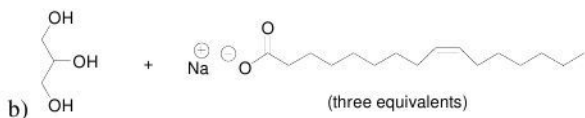
The diagram illustrates the biosynthesis of  $\alpha$ -farnesene from isopentenyl pyrophosphate (IPP) and dimethylallyl pyrophosphate (DMAPP). The pathway proceeds through geranyl pyrophosphate (GPP) and farnesyl pyrophosphate (FPP) intermediates. Red arrows indicate electron flow, and black arrows indicate the sequence of reactions. A base (:B) is shown abstracting protons to facilitate the formation of double bonds.

1. **IPP and DMAPP** react to form **geranyl pyrophosphate (GPP)**.  
2. **GPP** reacts with another molecule of **IPP** to form **farnesyl pyrophosphate (FPP)**.  
3. **FPP** is converted to  **$\alpha$ -farnesene** by the removal of pyrophosphate groups and the formation of a terminal double bond.

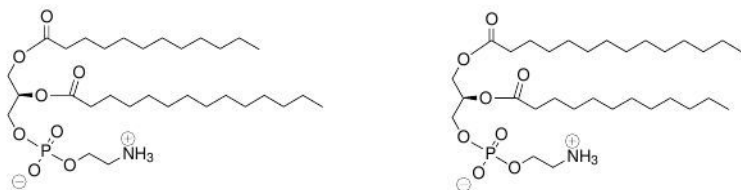
- a) steroid
- b) terpene
- c) triglyceride
- d) phospholipid
- e) prostaglandin
- f) wax

a)

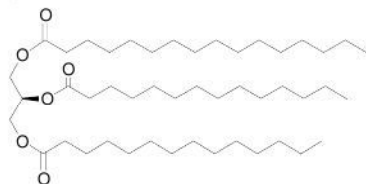
The diagram shows a glycerol backbone esterified with three long-chain fatty acids. The glycerol part is on the left, with three oxygen atoms connected to the fatty acid chains. Each fatty acid chain is represented by a zigzag line, indicating a long hydrocarbon tail. The label 'a)' is at the bottom left.



**26.31.** Both compounds are chiral:



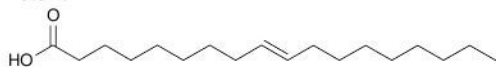
**26.32.** The fatty acid residues in this triglyceride are saturated, and will not react with molecular hydrogen.



**26.33.**

- a) not a lipid
- b) a lipid
- c) a lipid
- d) a lipid
- e) a lipid
- f) not a lipid
- g) a lipid
- h) not a lipid

**26.34.**



**26.35.** The fatty acid residues of tristearin are saturated and are therefore less susceptible to auto-oxidation than the unsaturated fatty acid residues in triolein.

**26.36.** a < b < c

**26.37.** Water would not be appropriate because it is a polar solvent, and terpenes are nonpolar compounds. Hexane is a nonpolar solvent and would be suitable.

**26.38.**

- a) saturated
- b) saturated
- c) unsaturated
- d) saturated
- e) unsaturated
- f) unsaturated

**26.39.** Arachidonic acid

**26.40.**

- a) No. It is an oil.
- b) No. It is reactive towards molecular hydrogen in the presence of Ni.
- c) Yes. It undergoes hydrolysis to produce unsaturated fatty acids.
- d) Yes. It is a complex lipid because it undergoes hydrolysis.
- e) No. It is not a wax.
- f) No. It does not have a phosphate group.

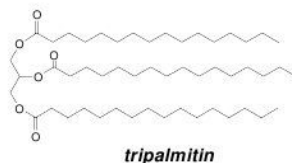
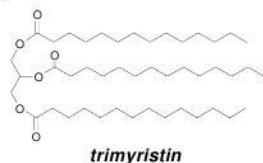
**26.41.**

- a) Yes. It is a fat.
- b) Yes. It is unreactive towards molecular hydrogen in the presence of Ni.
- c) No. It undergoes hydrolysis to produce fatty acids that are saturated.
- d) Yes. It is a complex lipid because it undergoes hydrolysis.
- e) No. It is not a wax.
- f) No. It does not have a phosphate group.

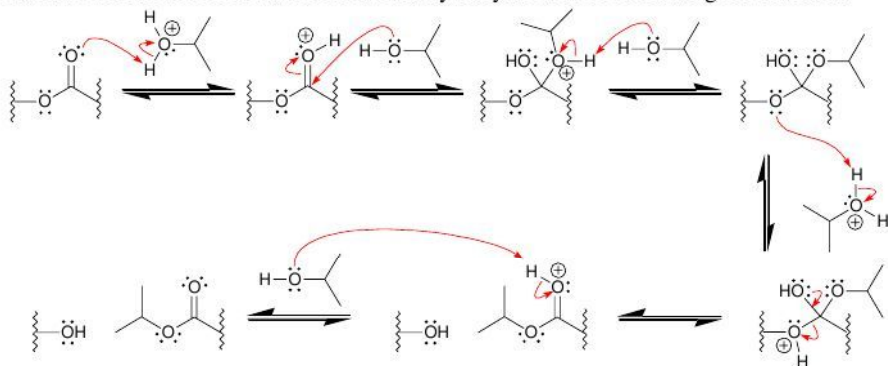
**26.42.**



**26.43.** Trimyristin is expected to have a lower melting point than tripalmitin because the former is comprised of fatty acid residues with fewer carbon atoms (14 instead of 16).

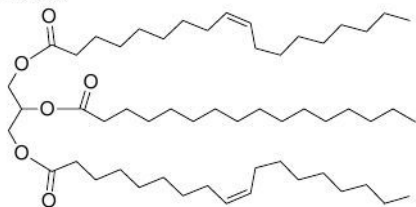


**26.44.** Each of the three ester moieties is hydrolyzed via the following mechanism:

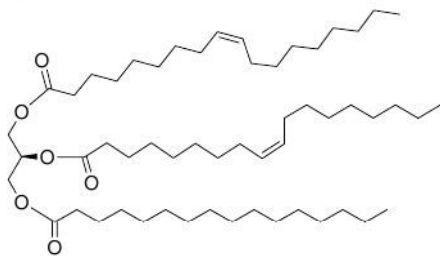


**26.45.** See the solution to Problem 26.14.

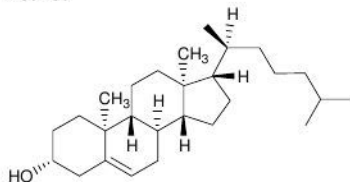
**26.46.**



**26.47.**

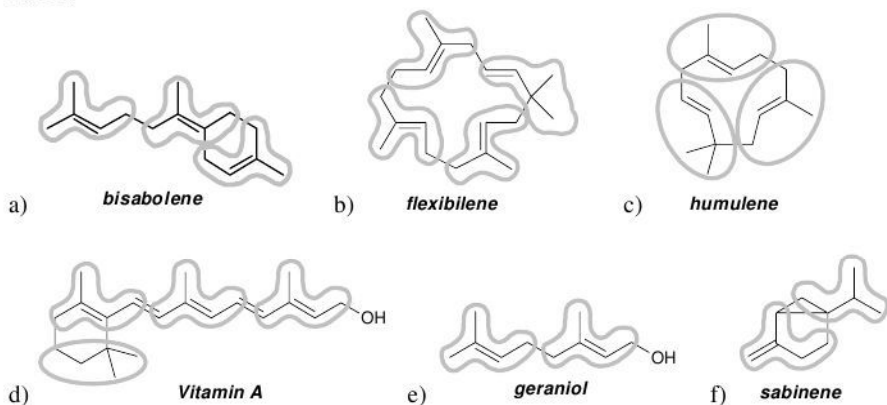


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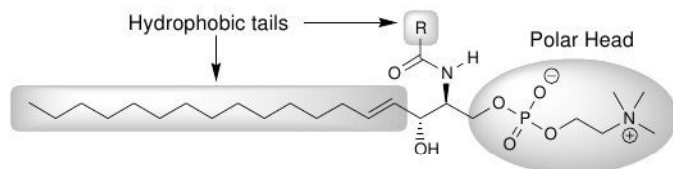




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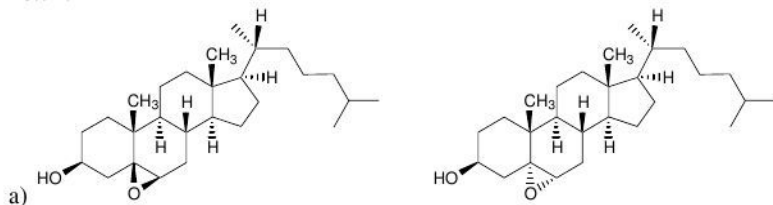
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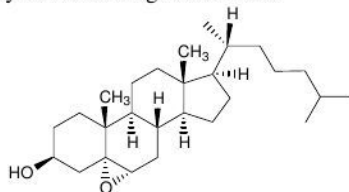
a)

b) Yes, they have one polar head and two hydrophobic tails.

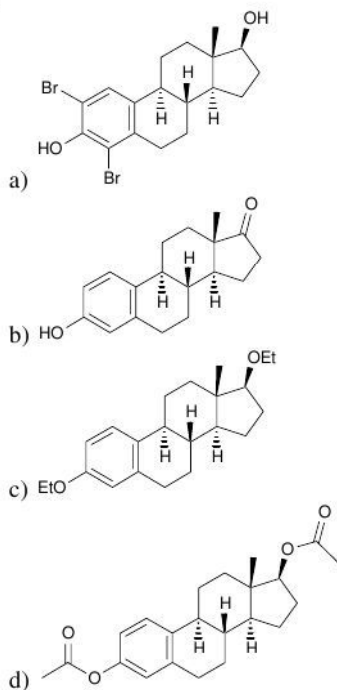
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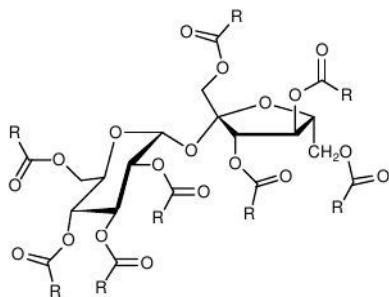
b) The methyl group (C19) provides steric hindrance that blocks one side of the  $\pi$  bond, and only the following is obtained:



26.52.



26.53. The compound is chiral.



26.54.

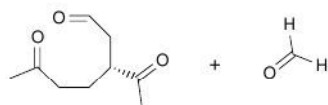
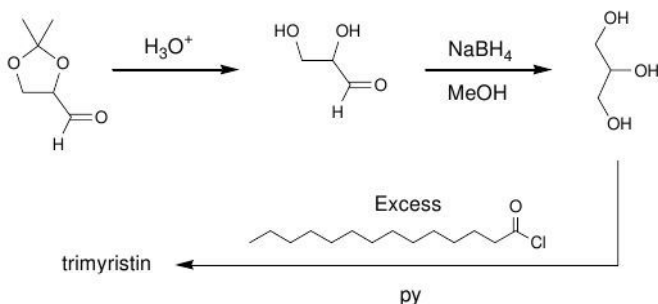
- $\text{H}_2$ , Ni
- $\text{H}_2$ , Ni, followed by NaOH, followed by EtI.
- $\text{H}_2$ , Ni, followed by LAH, followed by  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$
- $\text{O}_3$ , followed by DMS, followed by  $\text{Na}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$  and  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$
- $\text{H}_2$ , Ni, followed by  $\text{PBr}_3$  and  $\text{Br}_2$ , followed by  $\text{H}_2\text{O}$

**26.55.**

- a) Limonene is comprised of 10 carbon atoms and is, therefore, a monoterpene.  
 b) The compound does not have any chirality centers and is, therefore, achiral:

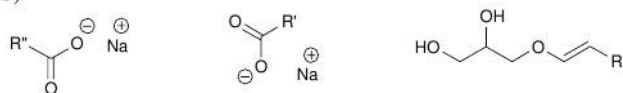


c)

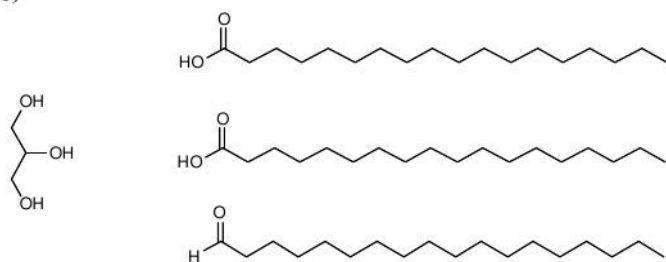
**26.56.****26.57.**

- a) Fats and oils have a glycerol backbone connected to three fatty acid residues. Plasmalogens also have a glycerol backbone, but it is only connected to two fatty acid residues. The third group is not a fatty acid residue.

b)



c)



# Chapter 27

## Synthetic Polymers

### Review of Concepts

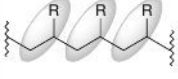

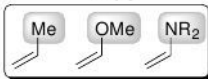
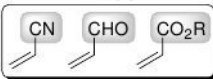
Fill in the blanks below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 27. Each of the sentences below appears verbatim in the section entitled *Review of Concepts and Vocabulary*.

- Polymers are comprised of repeating units that are constructed by joining \_\_\_\_\_ together.
- A \_\_\_\_\_ is a polymer made up of a single type of monomer. Polymers made from two or more different types of monomers are called \_\_\_\_\_.
- In a \_\_\_\_\_ **copolymer**, different homopolymer subunits are connected together in one chain. In a \_\_\_\_\_ **copolymer**, sections of one homopolymer have been grafted onto a chain of another homopolymer.
- Monomers can join together to form **addition polymers** by cationic, anionic, or \_\_\_\_\_ addition.
- Most derivatives of ethylene will undergo \_\_\_\_\_ polymerization under suitable conditions.
- Cationic addition is only efficient with derivatives of ethylene that contain an electron-\_\_\_\_\_ group.
- Anionic addition is only efficient with derivatives of ethylene that contain an electron-\_\_\_\_\_ group.
- Polymers generated via condensation reactions are called \_\_\_\_\_ **polymers**.
- \_\_\_\_\_-**growth polymers** are formed under conditions in which each monomer is added to the growing chain one at a time. The monomers do not react directly with each other. ,
- \_\_\_\_\_-**growth polymers** are formed under conditions in which the individual monomers react with each other to form \_\_\_\_\_, which are then joined together to form polymers.
- **Crossed-linked polymers** contain \_\_\_\_\_ bridges or branches that connect neighboring chains.
- **Thermoplastics** are polymers that are \_\_\_\_\_ at room temperature but \_\_\_\_\_ when heated. They are often prepared in the presence \_\_\_\_\_ to prevent the polymer from being brittle.
- \_\_\_\_\_ are polymers that return to their original shape after being stretched.
- \_\_\_\_\_ **polymers** can be broken down by enzymes produced by microorganisms in the soil.

## Review of Skills

Fill in the blanks and empty boxes below. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 27. The answers appear in the section entitled *SkillBuilder Review*.

### 27.1 Determining Which Polymerization Technique is More Efficient

STEP 1 IDENTIFY THE _____ UNITS	STEP 2 IDENTIFY THE _____ NECESSARY TO MAKE THIS POLYMER	STEP 3 DETERMINE WHETHER THE MONOMER BEARS AN ELECTRON-_____ GROUP OR AN ELECTRON-_____ GROUP:	STEP 4 IF EWG, THEN USE  ADDITION  IF EDG, THEN USE  ADDITION
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### 27.2 Identifying the Monomers Required to Produce a Desired Condensation Polymer

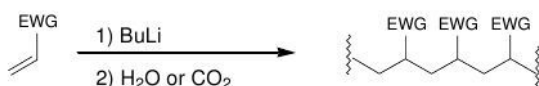
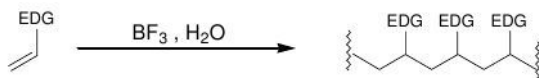
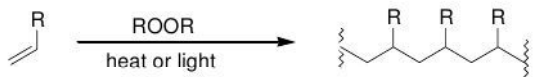
DRAW THE TWO DIFUNCTIONAL MONOMERS NECESSARY TO FORM THE FOLLOWING CONDENSATION POLYMER:



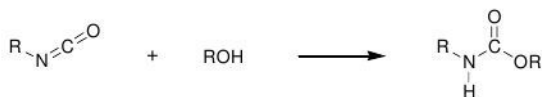
## Review of Reactions

Identify the reagents necessary to achieve each of the following transformations. To verify that your answers are correct, look in your textbook at the end of Chapter 27. The answers appear in the section entitled *Review of Reactions*.

### Reactions for Formation of Chain-Growth Polymers

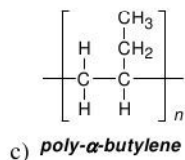
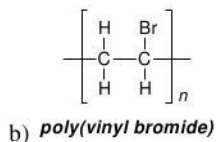
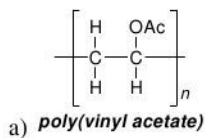


### Reactions for Formation of Step-Growth Polymers

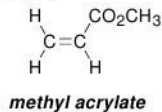


### Solutions

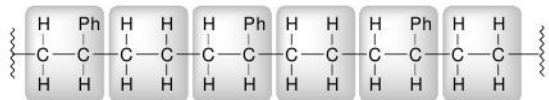
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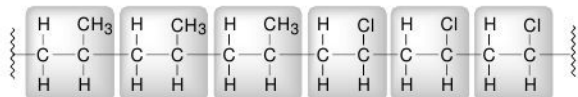
27.2.



27.3.



27.4.



## 27.5. Isobutylene and styrene

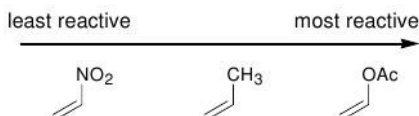
## 27.6.

a) anionic addition  
d) cationic addition

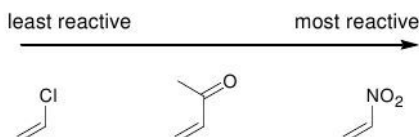
b) cationic addition  
e) anionic addition

c) cationic addition  
f) anionic addition

## 27.7.



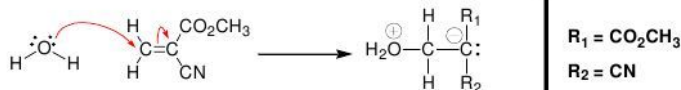
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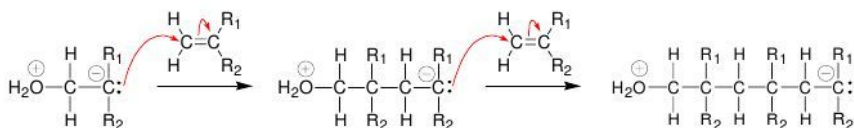
27.9. An negative charge, positive charge, or unpaired electron (radical) in a benzylic position is stabilized via resonance.

## 27.10.

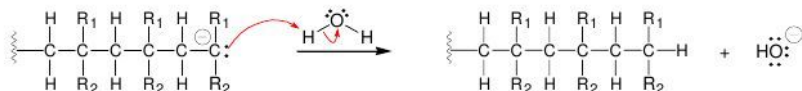
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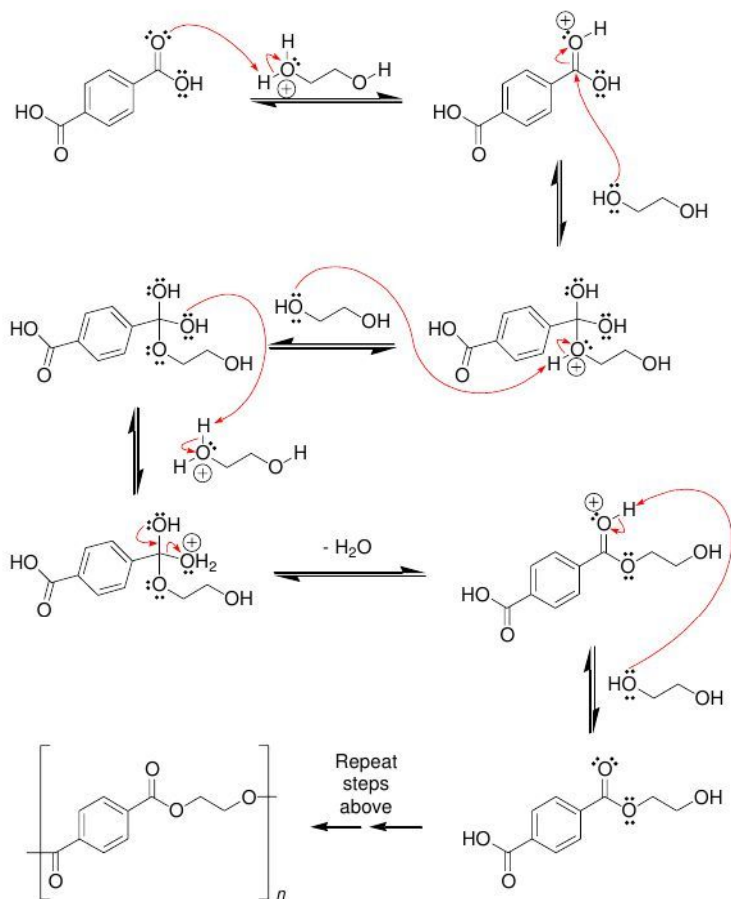
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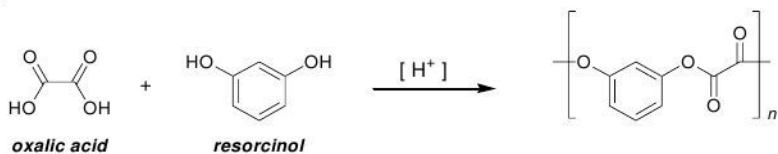
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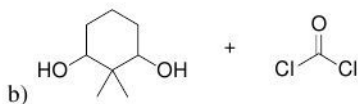
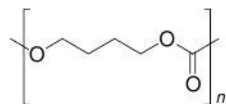
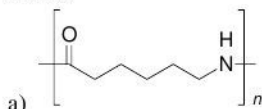
27.11.



27.12.





**27.13.****27.14.****27.15.****27.16.**

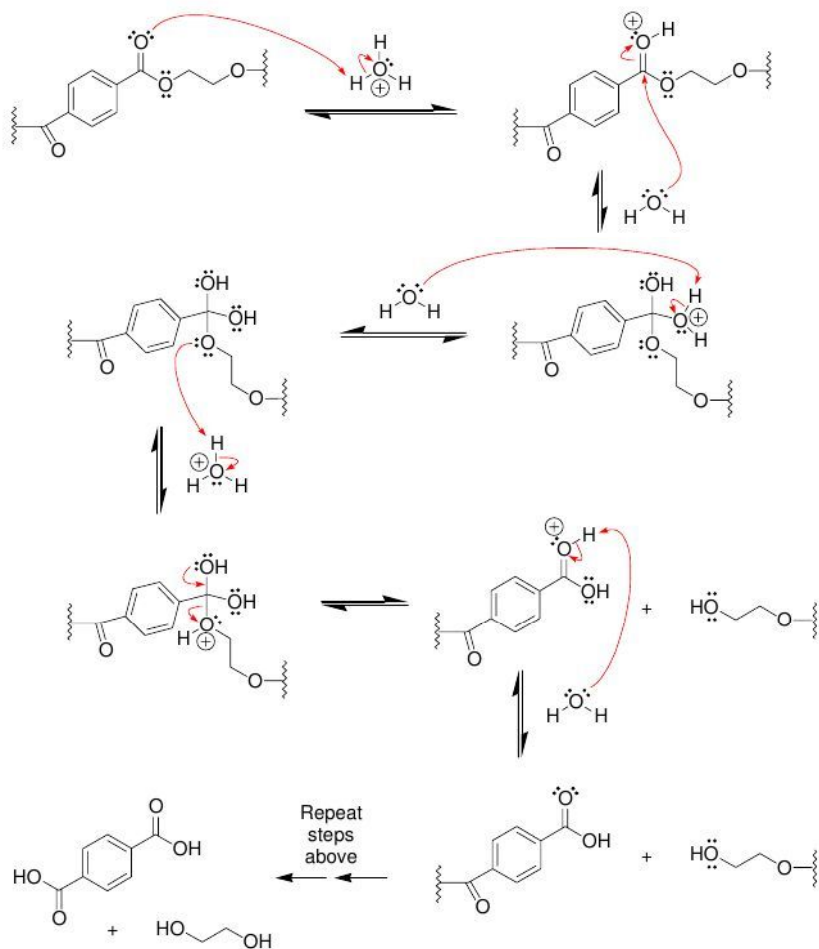
b) Nylon 6 exhibits a smaller repeating unit.

**27.17.**

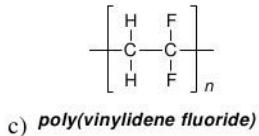
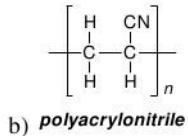
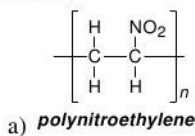
- a) step growth  
b) chain growth

**27.18.** Step growth**27.19.** Polyisobutylene does not have any chirality centers.**27.20.** LDPE is used to make Ziploc bags and HDPE is used to make folding tables.

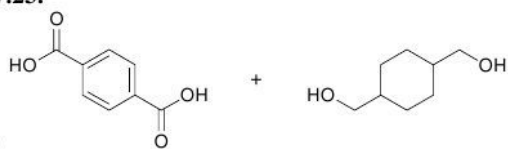
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**27.22.**



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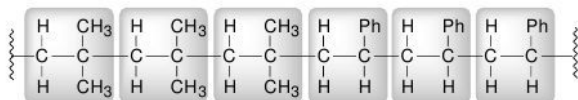
a)

b) Acidic conditions.

27.24.



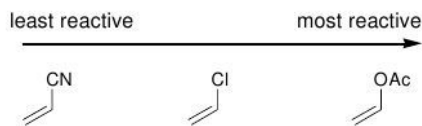
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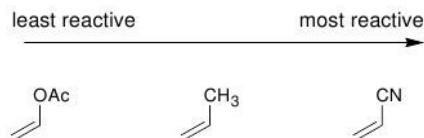
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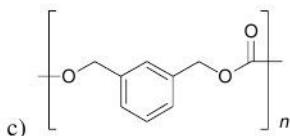
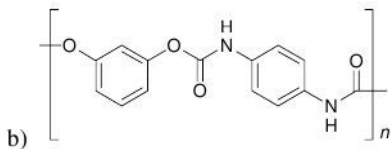
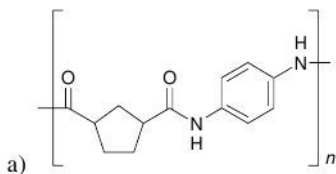
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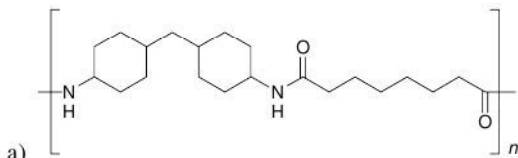
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**27.29.** All three polymers are step-growth polymers.



**27.30.**

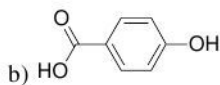
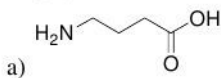


b) Quiana is a polyamide.

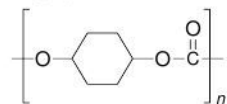
c) Quiana is a step-growth polymer.

d) Quiana is a condensation polymer.

**27.31.**



**27.32.**

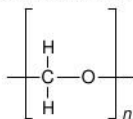


**27.33.**

a) Step growth

b) Chain growth

- 27.34.** Nitro groups are among the most powerful electron-withdrawing groups, and a nitro group stabilizes a negative charge on an adjacent carbon atom, thereby facilitating anionic polymerization.
- 27.35.** Shower curtains are made from PVC, which is a thermoplastic polymer. To prevent the polymer from being brittle, the polymer is prepared in the presence of plasticizers which become trapped between the polymer chains where they function as lubricants. Over time, the plasticizers evaporate, and the polymer becomes brittle.
- 27.36.** Polyformaldehyde, sold under the trade name Delrin, is a strong polymer used in the manufacture of many guitar picks. It is prepared via the acid-catalyzed polymerization of formaldehyde. [[LO 27.4]] [[LO 27.5]]

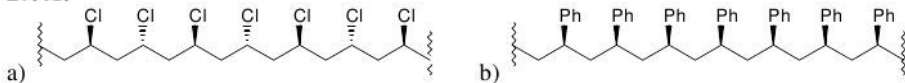


a) **polyformaldehyde**

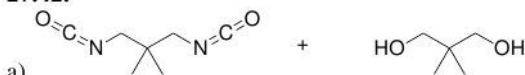
- b) Polyformaldehyde is a polyether.  
 c) Polyformaldehyde is a chain-growth polymer.  
 d) Polyformaldehyde is an addition polymer.

- 27.37.** It bears an electron-withdrawing group (CN) that can stabilize a negative charge via resonance, but it also bears an electron-donating group (OMe) that can stabilize a positive charge via resonance.
- 27.38.** The nitro group serves as a reservoir of electron density that stabilizes an negative charge via resonance (see Chapter 19).
- 27.39.** The methoxy group is an electron donating group that stabilizes a positive charge via resonance (see Chapter 19).
- 27.40.** A methoxy group can only donate electron density via resonance if it is located in an ortho or para position. It cannot function as a electron donating group if it is located in a meta position (see Chapter 19).

**27.41.**

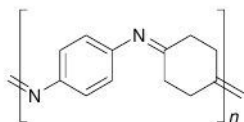


**27.42.**



- b) Step growth                      c) Addition polymer

27.43.

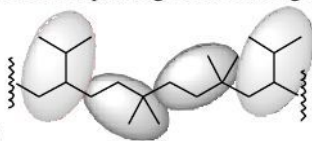


27.44. Vinyl alcohol is an enol, which is not stable. If it is prepared, it undergoes rapid tautomerization to give an aldehyde, which will not produce the desired product upon polymerization.

27.45. The ester moieties undergo hydrolysis in basic conditions, which breaks down the polymer into monomers.

27.46.

a) The carbocation that is initially formed is a secondary carbocation, and it can undergo a carbocation rearrangement to give a more stable, tertiary carbocation. In some cases, the secondary carbocation will be added to the growing polymer chain before it has a chance to rearrange. In other cases, the secondary carbocation will rearrange first and then be added to the growing polymer chain. The result is the incorporation of two different repeating units in the growing polymer chain.

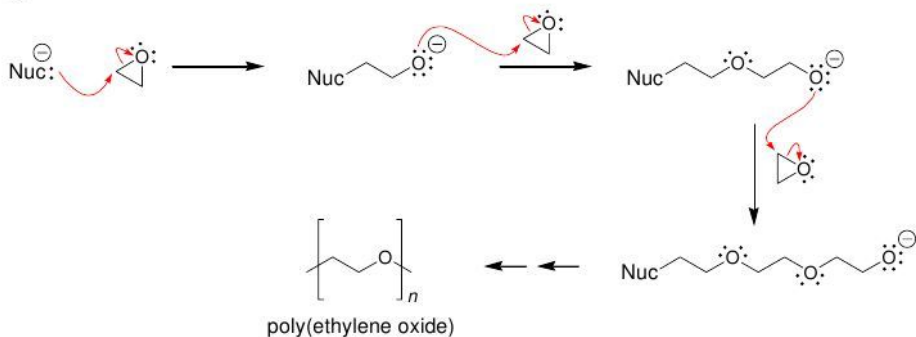


b)

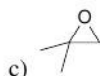
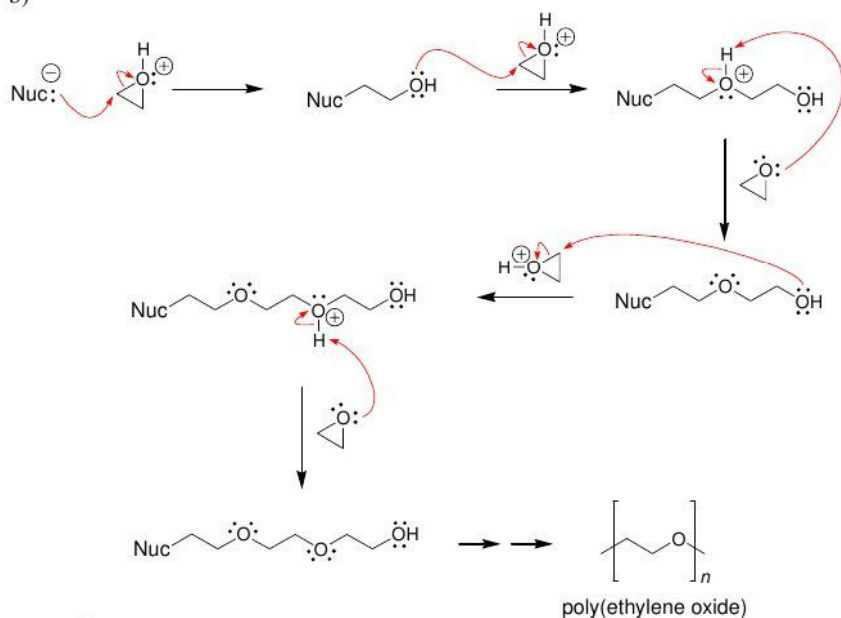
c) Yes, because a secondary carbocation is formed when 3,3-dimethyl-1-butene is protonated, and a methyl shift can occur that converts the secondary carbocation into a tertiary carbocation.

27.47.

a)



b)



d) Acidic conditions are required, because the epoxide is too sterically hindered to be attacked under basic conditions (see Section 14.10).

27.48.

